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## MONARCHIST REACTION GROWS IN GERMANY

### London Correspondent Says Uprising Is Imminent And That Present Officers Are Mere Puppets.

London, March 17—Special dispatches from Berlin report that the suppression of the recent Spartacan outbreak there has shown that military and monarchist reaction is growing and overshadowing the new government.

PRESENT OFFICIALS PUPPETS?

The Berlin correspondent of the Mail who on Feb. 27 sent a dispatch, outlining plans for a monarchist uprising in Germany, has arrived in London, having left Berlin on March 14 after a residence there of three months. He reiterates the statements made in his dispatch saying that President Ebert, Chancellor Scheidemann and Minister of War Noske are merely puppets. He declares that for the purpose of retaining power they have allowed members of the military cast to re-appear as organizers of the new Republican armies.

"These men are the real governors of Germany" he says. "They make the edicts and Chancellor Scheidemann and his colleagues willingly sign them."

SPARTACAN REVOLT

Similar testimony is given by other correspondents in telegrams from Berlin, some stating that the capture of the suburb of Lichtenberg has been intentionally prolonged with a view to exterminating the Spartacans, whose treatment at the hands of government troops is said to be sharply condemned. While alleged atrocities are attributed to the Spartacans, details which have been given are doubted or denied. Even the Vorwaerts admits them to be much exaggerated. The correspondents concur in the statement that extreme bitterness has been created against the government troops and that further trouble is inevitable.

According to a dispatch to the Mail the spartacan revolt will certainly recur in ever-increasing force unless a miracle happens. It adds that Herr Noske's forces have been recruited by bribes and promise of big rations and that to this may be attributed some of the food shortage in Berlin.

## LEVER OPPOSES CLARK AS LEADER

Washington, March 17—Representative Lever of South Carolina in a statement made public Sunday through the Democratic Reorganization committee announced his opposition to the selection of Champ Clark as Democratic leader in the next House.

"I will support no man who will say that a conscript is synonymous with a convict" declared Mr. Lever's statement.

Public sentiment, as well as that of returning soldiers, favors a league of nations, said Mr. Lever, adding that "no man can be selected to lead the Democrats in the next House who does not in full measure believe in this doctrine."

## BREAK GERMAN CONTROL OF ZINC

Washington, March 17.—Germany's control of the zinc and lead markets of the world and her tremendous interest in other metals was shown by a report today of the alien property custodian to have been broken in large part by the release of American, Mexican and South American mines and smelters from the dominance of German ownership.

All the metal concerns in the United States which were controlled in Germany have been either disbanded or Americanized and the report declares that "it is believed that the German influences in our metal markets have been completely eliminated."

At the outbreak of the European war, the report said, each member of the Triumvirate had a branch in the United States, the American Metal company, representing the Metallgesellschaft of Frankfurt, L. Vogelstein and company, representing Aaron Hirsch and Sohn, and Beer, Sondheimer and company representing the German syndicate of the same name.

Their combined profits in 1916 amounted to $12,000,000 of which $7,000,000 was made by the American Metal company.

## FORMER CHAMPAIGN EDITOR IS DEAD

Champaign, March. 17.—J. R. Stewart, formerly editor of the Champaign Gazette of this city, and one of the oldest newspaper men in the state, died suddenly this morning at 8 o'clock in his home in this city. He had been living in retirement for several years. Mr. Stewart was 79 years old and is survived by his widow and son

## 973 STATE BANKS IN FEDERAL SYSTEM

Washington, March 17—Sixteen state banks admitted to the federal reserve system in February raised the total roll of state banks members to 973, with total capital of $352,817,000 surplus of $403,812,000 and total resources of $7,382,801,000.

## WIDE DISTRIBUTION OF BONDS UNLIKELY

Washington, March 17.—Doubt that the Victory Liberty loan, consisting of short term notes, will meet as wide distribution as past issues of longer term bonds, was expressed by the federal reserve board in its March bulletin issues today. The discussion was written before the Victory Loan act was passed by congress and before Secretary Glass announced definitely that the forthcoming loan would consist of notes.

"Short term securities are not on the whole as well adapted for investment by private individuals as longer term issues," said the reserve board's bulletin, "while financial custom has usually dictated the absorption of short term issues by investment institutions. Practically, therefore, the alternative plan principal provides in the bond act would tend toward the placing of a greater volume of the new issues definitely in the hands of the banks and of investment institutions throughout the country, and less in the hands of private individuals.

"On the whole, the note plan would therefore operate to increase the inflationary tendency already noticeable in the present banking situation and would add relatively speaking to the burdens carried by the banks."

## FLOOD DAMAGE IN SOUTHWEST

Kansas City, Mo. March 17—Residents of many Kansas localities near the Kaw, Big and Little Arkansas and Smoky Hill Rivers awoke early today uncertain whether nightfall would find them in the highlands, refugees from the flood waters of those and numerous smaller streams.

Unprecedented rains have sent all rivers in a wide section of Northern and Central Kansas surging over their banks and out upon rich farming country. No loss of life have reported here early today but property damage it was said would run into large figures.

The situation was said to be most serious near Wichita. Guards patrolled the banks of the Little Arkansas River last night, prepared to place sand bags at weakened points in the levee.

Kansas City is in no danger from the Kansas floods according to statements made today by weather bureau officials and river men.

OVER SEVEN INCHES RAIN

Memphis, Tenn., March 17—All local records for rain fall in 12 hours were broken yesterday when 7.72 inches fell.

Street car traffic was held up last night owing to washouts.

## SUPERVISORS OF CENSUS WANTED

Washington, D. C., March 17—The Act providing for the Fourteenth and subsequent decennial censuses was signed by the President on March 3. The enumeration, which will be made in January, 1920, is now less than ten months appointment of not to exceed 400 supervisors who will have charge of the 90,000 enumerators. The supervisors' districts will, in most cases, except in the large cities, have the same boundaries as the Congressional districts. The supervisors, under the law, are to be appointed by the Secretary of Commerce upon the recommendation of the Director of the Census.

A test examination is to be required for appointment to the post of supervisor. In addition to this, a careful personal inquiry is to be separately made respecting the qualifications of each candidate.

The Supervisors' duties will occupy their time for the greater part of a year, beginning about July 1, 1919. Their compensation will be $1,500, plus $1 for each thousand of major fraction of a thousand of population enumerated. The total compensation in an average-sized district outside a large city, will therefore be between $1,700 and $1,800.

All candidates for supervisorships should address their applications to the Director of the Census, Washington, D. C.

## CHINA FEARS BOLSHEVIK PLOT

Peking, Wednesday, March 12—The Chinese government is alarmed over a report coming from Petrograd relative to the formation of a Chinese Workingmen's organization with sixty thousand members, for the object of carrying on revolutionary propaganda and establishing soviets in China. Inquiries are being made by the authorities as to measures which will effectively check such activities.

## ERZBERGER WARNS ON PEACE TREATY

### Says Terms Must Conform to Wilson's Plan.

Copenhagen, March 17—If the Allies loaded the peace treaty with conditions going beyond President Wilson's fourteen points, the German National Assembly would have to refuse its assent to the treaty, Mathias Erzberger, head of the German armistice commission, declared in an address at Berlin in a meeting concerning the formation of a real League of Nations "according to a dispatch from the German capital today. The matter then would be left to a referendum of the German nation, he said.

DECLINES ANY OBLIGATION

Herr Erzberger declined any obligation upon Germany to give compensation for acts she committed after her first peace offer in December 1916.

The speaker declared that the only means of calling a halt on Bolshevism was the abandonment of the "Mailed Fist policy of the allies."

The German people, said Herr Erzberger had almost unlimited confidence in President Wilson and he held that the League of Nations covenant as promulgated Feb. 14 would not be finally adopted, as, he declared, it was a compromise of the ideals of President Wilson with the imperialistic aspirations of some of the allies. The American president, Herr Erzberger insisted was under obligations to advocate the immediate admission of Germany to the League.

Herr Erzberger asserted that Germany was prepared to accept the vote of Alsace-Lorraine as to its future but he referred to the repeated aspirations of France respecting the Rhineland and Toplands claims to Danzig as "crimes" adding:

"What is German will remain German."

As far as the demands for compensation were concerned, Herr Erzberger declared that Germany would reject any demand that applied to acts committed after December 1916, when Germany made her first peace offer.

There was no moral obligation upon Germany regarding compensation aside from the case of Belgium, the speaker argued. In that case Germany would act honestly, he said.

## CHINA PAY FOR KILLING AMERICANS

*By Associated Press.*

Peking, March 17. — The Chinese government has accepted the suggestions made by the American government in its note of March 6 for the settlement of the Monocacy incident.

The incident occurred Jan. 17 of last year when the American gunboat Monocacy was fired on by Chinese troops and H. L. O'Brien, chief yeoman, was killed. Seamen Ferguson and W. M. Donnelly were slightly injured. The widow of Chief Yeoman O'Brien is to receive an indemnity of $25,000 gold, while Ferguson and Donnelly are to receive $500 each.

The firing on the gunboat is attributed here to Chinese troops becoming panic stricken at the appearance of the war vessel.

## AMERICAN ACE KILLED IN FLORIDA

Seabreeze, Fla., March 17.—Maj. David McK. Peterson, of Honsdale, Pa., one of America's "aces" was killed yesterday in the fall of his airplane at Daytona Beach.

The airplane piloted by Maj. Peterson and in which Lieut. F. K. Paversick was a passenger, dropped nose forward after reaching a height of about seventy-five feet, while ascending. Maj. Peterson was killed instantly and Lieut. Paversick was injured seriously.

Previous to his enlistment with the American air forces Maj. Peterson was a member of the LaFayette Escadrille. While with the French aerial service he was credited with bringing down eighteen German machines. He brought down five while serving in the American service.

## WILL RECOGNIZE CARMEN'S UNION

Newark, N. J. March 17—Prior to a conference today between the Public Service Railway Company and its 4,000 employes who have been on strike throughout northern New Jersey it was learned that the company had virtually assured the Federal War Labor Board that the men's chief demand—union recognition—would be granted.

## 38,000 IRISH IN NEW YORK PARADE

New York, March 17—Soldiers and sailors were accorded the honor places in the great St. Patrick's Day parade in which 38,000 representatives of some 300 Irish societies were assigned to places. Conveyances were provided for wounded soldiers. Several men also were the guests of the Irish Societies in Brooklyn and other boroughs of the city. John W. Jeff, former supreme court justice led the New York parade as grand marshal.

Celebration of the day began last night with banquets and meetings and many others were arranged to begin soon after the parades today.

## STOCKS LARGE, LESS DEMAND

### Replies to Queries on Trade and Industrial Re-adjustment.

Washington, March 17—The federal reserve board made public today summaries of reports from federal reserve agents throughout the country in answer to a questionnaire recently sent out to ascertain the extent of business and industrial readjustment. The reports showed in general large stocks on hand with manufacturers and dealers and a lessened demand with prices decreasing in many cases.

A typical example of the reports from industrial districts was afforded by the tabulation of replies to questions from business concerns in the Philadelphia Federal Reserve district. The questions, and classified replies, were as follows:

REPLIES TO QUERIES.

Are the quantities of materials, supplies and goods as shown by your last inventory larger than usual? Yes, 114; No. 119.

Are they principally for war or civilian business? War work 20; civilian business 221.

Have the prices of your product been lower recently from the high prices prevailing during the war? Yes, 148; No. 93.

Is labor more abundant? Yes, 225, No 21.

Is labor less restless? Yes 118; No. 21.

Is there less re-employment? Yes, 186; No. 62.

Is labor more efficient? Yes, 90; No. 142.

Has there been any lowering of wages? Yes, 17; No. 228.

Are you paying less for raw material? Yes, 131; No. 89.

Is the supply adequate? Yes, 212; No. 16.

Do you anticipate making any extensions or repairs to your plants in the near future which will necessitate the purchase of building materials, or equipment? Yes, 42; No. 203.

Have you a satisfactory amount of orders on hand? Yes, 81; No. 150.

Most concerns reported the outlook uncertain.

## NO MORE CLASHES WITH JAPANESE

Washington, March 17 — Minister Reinsch at Peking advised the state department today that all was quiet at Tien Tsin, where there was trouble last week between American soldiers and Japanese and that he was sending a full report of the incident by mail. The department instructed him to report all important facts by cable immediately.

The minister made no mention of the nature of the difficulty either in today's dispatch or in his message Saturday reporting that he had sent First Secretary Spencer from Peking to investigate.

Associated Press dispatches from Peking have described a raid by Americans on the Japanese consulate, in which the consul was seriously wounded. The seizure of two Americans in the French concession by Japanese military guards and an attack by Japanese men at moving picture theaters in the French concession.

The fact that Minister Reinsch thought it unnecessary to send his report by cable is regarded here as indicating he did not attach great importance to the matter.

## *SET ASIDE RULING ON KANSAS GAS*

Washington, March 17. — Federal court decisions holding that the Kansas Natural Gas Company and its subsidiaries are engaged in interstate commerce and enjoining Missouri and Kansas state and municipal officials from interfering with rates fixed by the court for the distribution of natural gas were set aside today by the supreme court.

Injunctions restraining the Kansas State Public Utilities Commission from fixing the rate in that state at 28 cents per thousand cubic feet and in effect setting aside rates prescribed in franchises granted by various municipalities in Missouri, were dissolved by the supreme court.

## THOUSANDS STARVE IN CAUCASUS

New York, March 17—Thousands of men, women and children are starving to death in the Caucasus, according to the first report from Dr. James L. Barton, chirman of the commission recently sent to that region by the American Committee for Relief in the Near East, received here yesterday.

## ATLANTA RAILWAY CLERKS RETURN

Atlanta, Ga., March 17—About 1,500 railway clerks employed on all roads entering Atlanta, except the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis returned to their desks this morning, after having been on strike since Friday and trying up freight traffic in Atlanta and adjacent territory.

## SPANISH DEMANDS IN LEAGUE PLAN

*[By Associated Press.]*

Madrid, Sunday, March 16—A committee appointed by the government to study the subject of Spanish participating the League of Nations has submitted a report which will be considered at a special cabinet meeting today or tomorrow. The government entirely endorsed President Wilson's proposals but reserves its decision as to reductions of armaments and the fixing of military forces by members of the league.

It is understood that the government will ask definite assurances as to the Spanish coast line, protectorates in Africa and the suitability of military service as social discipline for Spain. The wish is also expressed that this country may maintain close relations with South American nations of common race origin and language.

Spain will be represented at conferences of neutral nations at Paris by Manuel Gonzales Hontoria, a Liberal Deputy and in 1912 under secretary of foreign affairs. Premier Romanones may also go to Paris.

Senor Hontoria and other members of the commission who are supporters of President Wilson's ideas consider that the findings submitted to the government in its report will have peculiar weight both because Spain is one of the leading neutral nations and because of the prestige she enjoys among Latin-American countries favoring the establishment of a League of Nations. Spain is ready to present her views to the neutral conference on military, economic and social questions but will not discuss Morocco considering her rights so indisputable that discussion is unnecessary.

## LETTISH TROOPS TAKE MORE TOWNS

Copenhagen, March 17. — Lettish troops have advanced towards Mitau and have captured the towns Kandau and Zabeln, according to an official statement issued by the Lettish headquarters. The advance continues, the statement says and the Bolsheviki in Northwestern Courland are threatened with having their retreat to Mitau and Riga cut off. They are reported to be retiring in a panic.

A dispatch received here from Berlin quotes Libau advices to the effect that the Bolshevik have been seriously defeated in the district between Kovno and Vilna and that the important railroad running from Koshodary to Schaulen has been captured.

ADDED TOWNS TAKEN.

Stockholm, Sunday March 16.—The Lettish offensive in the Mitau region is developing successfully, the Letts having captured Shagory, Grenzhof, Weitenfeld and Al Autz.

The villages mentioned in the foregoing dispatch appears to indicate that the Lettish troops are making gains to the southwest of Mitau, on the center of a line running from Windau to the Kovno-Vilna region.

## NEWS SUMMARY

Archangel—Bolshevikl forces have made a determined attempt to cut the communications between the American and allied communists but were repulsed with heavy losses.

Buenos Aires—The Argentine government issued a decree empowering the customs house to load and unload ships and nationalize the harbor.

Mexico City—The state of Morelos is completely under the control of government forces after being overrun by Zapatistas for ten years.

Vladivostok—American troops have begun to move to strategic positions on the trans-Siberian Railway to aid in operation of the railway.

Paris—An appeal has been entered against the death sentence passed on Emile Cottin, the assailant of Premier Clemenceau.

Peking—Late reports from Tien Tsin seem to show that Japanese troops were also at fault for the recent disorders for which at first American troops were blamed.

Copenhagen—Another attempt has been made against the life of Nikolai Lenine at Moscow but he was not injured by the shots.

## EX-KAISER HAS SAWED 1,000 TREES

*By Associated Press.*

Amergenon, Holland, Saturday, March 15.—Former Emperor William today completed sawing into logs his thousandth tree since he took refuge at Count Von Bentinck's castle here last fall. From the thousandth tree a few logs were converted into souveniers of the achievement, and marked in red ink with the inscription "W.2." These were presented to members of the Bentinck family and to those who have assisted the ex-emperor in his work during the last ten weeks.

Expert sawyers of the neighborhood compute the value of the wages Herr Hohenzollern would have earned if he had been paid the trade union rate at about $30 for the whole period, or an average of fifty cents a working day, which usually consists of three hours

## AMENDMENTS TO THE LEAGUE PLAN

### Are Being Worked Out to Assure Acceptance by War Council.

*[By Associated Press.]*

Paris, March 17—Efforts are being directed towards shaping the league of nations covenant so as to insure its acceptance by the supreme council and win the approval of those Americans who are demanding its amendment.

Col. House yesterday conferred with Lord Robert Cecil, Leon Bourgeois and the American delegates and reported to President Wilson. It is conceded that some of the suggested amendments can safely be adopted, for instance those safeguarding the Monroe doctrine and fixing conditions which will permit of the adherence of the late enemy powers.

One of the five powers had hesitated to accept a distinct impression of the right of secession from the league. The Americans are proceeding on the supposition that the covenant may be included in the peace treaty.

Foreign Minister Pichon said yesterday that he felt it was practically impossible to include the covenant in the first treaty. The views of neutral countries, had been invited, and amendments could not be disposed of, he added, before the probable early signing of the preliminaries.

The issue, the minister suggested might be met by a declaration in the treaty of the principles underlying the league, leaving the details in abeyance. The war would be ended when the preliminaries were signed, he pointed out but the Germans would not regain their pre-war status with liberty of movement until the signing of the final treaty pending which the blockade would be lifted only partially.

Regarding Posen, M. Pichon said that if the Germans persisted in their rejection of the terms the allied commissioners, the Entente would have to intervene, Poland could not be left in its present dangerous situation. A French general would be sent to Poland with the first Polish division which had fought in France as soon as possible.

M. Pichon denied the report that the French Government had accorded recognition to the Russian Bolsheviki saying that the supreme council would consider the Russian question this week.

## PERSHING SAYS FAREWELL TO 42D

*[By Associated Press.]*

Coblenz, Sunday, March 16.—General Pershing said good-bye to the boys of the Forty-second division today, in a farewell address to the troops of the Rainbow unit who are preparing to start for home the first week in April, the American commander-in-chief wished them all good luck in the peaceful occupations into which they will go on the other side of the Atlantic.

The inspection and review of the division took place in a great field near Remagenon, on the west bank of the Rhine. General Pershing spoke from the rear end of a wagon with the soldiers gathered about him to more than twenty thousand men.

Before his address the commander-in-chief presented one congressional medal of honor, two distinguished service medals and forty-six distintinguished service crosses to officers and men of the division.

The medal of honor was pinned by General Pershing on Corporal Sidney Manning of the 167th Infantry for loading his platoon during an attack on the Ourcq after its commander had fallen. Despite wounds he had suffered, Manning led the men forward and gained and held an important position in the face of terrific enemy fire. All but seven members of the platoon were killed or wounded. Manning himself was wounded nine times in this attack. When the U.S. entered the war Manning was a farmer boy near Brewton, Ala.

The distinguished service medals went to Brigadier General Douglas Mac Arthur and Col. William Hughes, Jr. In several villages along the way German civilians greeted him with shouts of "Hoch Pershing," the commander's visit to the area of occupation was advertised by the Germans in their newspapers and otherwise.

## REMOVE SOME OLD GERMAN OFFICIALS

*[By Associated Press.]*

Berlin, Saturday, March 15—The Prussian government has begun a general house cleaning among the higher bureau-crafts left over from the former regime who are charged with indulging in a policy of obstruction and even out spoken hostility to the measures of the present government.

A start was made this week with Herr Lobell, former Prussian minister of the interior, and George Michaelis former chancellor.

## GRAIN TO GERMANS GOES TO TRIESTE

Basle, Sunday, March 16.—The Inter-Allied Food commission which has been conducting negotiations at Vienna has concluded sessions there and has reached an agreement by which German-Austria will receive five conveys of grain daily by way of Trieste, according to advices received here from the Austrian capital. A credit of thirty million dollars has been arranged to carry out the agreement. Herbert Hoover, chairman of the Supreme Food council, will be charged with administration of the agreement.

## SNOWED BY INCOME TAX REPORTS

Washington, March 17—Revenue Collectors reported to the internal revenue bureau today that their offices were submerged beneath the thousands of income tax returns and remittances which reached them Saturday, the final day for reporting. Indications were that fairly accurate figures on payments would not be available for a week.

## WILL STILL PAY ARMY ALLOWANCES

Washington, March 17—Payment of allotments and allowances and work of converting soldiers insurance into permanent government insurance will be continued by the war risk bureau, despite the shortage funds caused by failure of appropriations bills, it was announced today at the treasury.

## NAMES LAWYERS TO CONDUCT INQUIRY

New York, March 15—Secretary of War Baker has been advised of the appointment of a committee of five members of the American Bar Association "to investigate the status of the present military law relative to courts martial. "This was announced by the association here today with the statement that "The committee expects to commence its work at a very early date."

The committee is headed by S. S. Gregory of Chicago.

## NAVIGATION IS RESUMED ON DANUBE

Paris Sunday, March 16—Navigation has been resumed on the Danube River, according to dispatches received here from Prague.

## BOLSHEVIKS TO USE AIRPLANES

Washington, March 17The Russian Bolshevik government is planning to use aircraft in a propaganda campaign in England and France according to Swedish press reports made public today by the state department. Aviators for the work are said to be in training at Moscow.

The scheme is to drop papers containing Bolshevikl propaganda written in invisible ink.

## RIOTING IN TOWN ON NILE

London, March 17—There has been rioting at Tanta, Egypt, in connection with disorders which have occurred, there during the past week. On March 12, three thousand persons attempted to rush a railroad station at Tanta but the attack was met by troops and police and was frustrated. There was some fighting and twenty-two casualties are reported in a Cairo dispatch received here.

Tanta is an important town on the Nile, seventy five miles above Alexandria and is the capital of the province of Gharbia.

## *CHICAGO'S OFFICIAL SANTA CLAUS HURT*

Chicago, March 17.—Chicago's official Santa Claus was probably fatally injured today when he was struck by an automobile. The victim is John M. Hubbard, for many years assistant postmaster. At Christmas time for a generation it has been Mr. Hubbard's duty to receive all mail addressed to Santa Claus, and to distribute it among the philanthropic. Thousands of little children have been made happy through him.

Mr. Hubbard, who is 70 years old, was struck as he was about to enter the postoffice.

## 82ND DIVISION TROOPS SOON HOME

Washington, March 17. — Assignment to early convoy home of the 82nd Division (Georgia, Alabama and Florida National army) was announced today in a cablegram from General Pershing. Other units assigned included army ambulance sections numbers 570, 600, 521, 530, 569, 599, 602 and 601.

## PARIS CAFES TO BE OPEN TO 10:30

Paris, Sunday, March 16—Under a new regulation, cafes and restaurants will be allowed to remain open until 10:30 p. m., beginning March 20 and orchestras will be permitted.

## GERMANS ARE DISAPPOINTED

### Because Pounds of Foodstuffs Per Capita is Not Larger.

*By Associated Press.*

Berlin, Sunday, March 16.—Indications are that the average German is not enthusiastic over the amount of food he is likely to get under the provisioning agreement with the allies. After his first feeling of enthusiasm over the signing of the long-desired arrangement he immediately began to figure out his share of the provisions under the terms of the document, an extended summary of which was published officially this morning, and such comment as is made reflects an undeniable feeling of disappointment at the quantity provided.

This was practically the case because the newspapers in reducing the totals to figures in pounds per capita, take as the basis of their estimates the population before the war and work out the result at ten pounds monthly per person, instead of the approximate eighteen pounds which results from a computation upon the basis of a population of 45,000,000, excluding the self-providers on the farms, as the food ministry contemplates doing. This means that the allotment would be half of four and tenth of a pound of the fats per day to supplement the waning German stocks.

ARGUMENT FOR REDS.

In commenting on the agreement, Vorwaerts predicts that the Independent Socialists and the Spartacans will make capital of the fact that there is a proviso in the agreement that no food shall be alloted to those who are unemployed through their own fault. The newspaper says the workmen will be told that the government induced the entente to insert this proviso to prevent them from using the stock as a political weapon.

The newspaper declares that in reality the proviso was contained in the draft agreement submitted by the inter-allied delegates to the Brussels conference. The delegates ultimately insisted upon it. Vorwaerts thinks, in order to make German finance as large a proportion of the supplies as possible by means of imports, so that Germany's gold resources might be reserved for indemnity payments. The newspaper characterizes the agreement as "anything but a success."

ONE OF PROBLEMS.

*[By Associated Press.]*

Berlin, Friday, March 14.—Arrangements for foreign credits is only one part of the difficult financial problem confronting Germany in connection with the supply of food from abroad. The price of various foodstuffs, particularly cereals, on the whole market is so high compared with the maximum prices which Germany maintained on rationed foodstuffs during these methods were to be found to make up the deficiencies in cost if the price of bread is to be within the reach of the workingmen the smaller salaried classes and those with fixed small incomes.

The government is aware that if the price of bread which now is fifty to sixty pennings for a two pound loaf is increased three or four times, the entire laboring class and many of the lower middle classes might swing over into Bolshevism.

## HAVE DELIVERED HUN R. R. CARS

*[By Associated Press.]*

Berlin, Saturday, March 15—The Tages Zeitung says it is informed that Germany has completed the delivery to the allies of five thousand locomotives and 150,000 cars as provided for in the armistice. The value of the rolling stock, it is said, is three billion marks. The Prussian railways furnished three fourths of the locomotives and cars.

## *The Weather*

Chicago, March 17-Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours ending at 7 p.m., Tuesday:

**Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; colder tonight.**

Local Observations.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

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| **Sunday.** | |
| 7 a. m. | 30 |
| Noon | 44 |
| 7 p. m | 35 |
| Highest | 46 |
| Lowest | 26 |
| Precipitation | .02 |
| **Monday.** | |
| 7 a. m. | 32 |
| Noon | 42 |
| Lowest | 32 |
| Precipitation | .01 |
| Sun rises (standard time) | 6:30 |
| Sun sets | 6:04 |

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, March 17.—The weather map at 8 a. m. today showed:

Canadian Northwest — 22 below to 10 above. Cloudy, Winnipeg .02.

Northwest—2 to 30 above. Cloudy, Williston .02.

West —20 to 30 above. Cloudy, Chicago .10 raining. Des Moines .02; Davenport .08; raining.

Southwest—24 to 52 above. Generally clear. St. Louis .01. Raining: Oklahoma .01.

Ohio Valley—32 to 36, cloudy. Cairo 3.40; Evansville 2.78 raining.

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# "THE GIRL OF THE GOLDEN APPLE" SAYS, DEVELOP THE DECORATIVE SENSE

MISS EDITH HYDE.
(Posed Especially to Illustrate this Article).

By EDITH HYDE.

"The Girl of the Golden Apple."

Develop the decorative sense. By this, I mean don't wear things and do things just because they are beautiful in themselves, but because they are becoming to you

Take an inventory of your own charms If you are of the willowy type, wear things that give you a long, graceful line.

But, of course, if you are unusually tall, you should not accentuate your height.

If you are inclined to be plump, you must consider how best to hide this. You must not wear tight-fitting clothes, neither must you wear things that are too full. A happy medium should be your aim.

One way to develop the decorative sense in one's self is to spend quite some time and thought in arranging one's own little private room artistically.

With just a few ornaments, a vase or two, some flowers and a picture or so, work out little decorative schemes.

In this way will your sense of balance, color and composition be developed, a sense that will in time be reflected in your personal appearance.

Four famous artists—Flagg, Christy, Stanlaws and Fisher—at the annual Chu Crin Chow ball in New York gave the golden apple, America's most coveted beauty prize, to an unknown New York girl—Miss Edith Hyde. Miss Hyde, who won this beauty prize in competition with actresses, art models and society belles, has consented to write her beauty secrets.

**WOULD YOU BE BEAUTIFUL?**

**Read These Articles.**

## 90-YEAR-OLD MAN LEADS THE PRAYER

**Rev. J. N. McDonald Assists in Services at Second Presbyterian.**

Rev. J N. McDonald, aged 90, father of Rev J. W. McDonald, pastor of Second Presbyterian church, assisted at the morning service at the church Sunday by offering prayer. The pastor's theme at this service was "The Church and the World." At night he spoke on "Winning Our Inheritance" The last of the studies from the book which the society has been using was taken up at the Christian Endeavor meeting. Lelah Wehner's division was in charge of the meeting and Robert Hornback was leader.

An important meeting of the Missionary society will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

The mid-week service will be held Thursday instead of Wednesday evening, and will be in the form of a New Era conference.

Group meetings will be held as follows No 1 Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary E. Dyer, 1320 West Wood No. 4 Thursday afternoon with Miss Worthy Divan, 1213 North Union, No. 5 Friday afternoon with Mrs. Clara Hawkins, 1005 North Monroe.

The every member canvass will be held next Sunday afternoon.

SARGENT METHODIST.

Prayer meeting will be held Wednesday night at the Sargent Methodist church

## BACK COMBS ARE BACK

By BETTY BROWN.

Every once in so often the style-creators decree the return of fancy combs for the ornamentation of the coiffure. This is the "once" and coiffure designers who have elected to favor the high coiffure for evening wear have likewise introduced again the elaborately carved or jeweled comb. This one is of amber set with a myriad of green brilliants.

LOCUST STREET MISSION.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet Wednesday afternoon at the chapel for work.

Prayer meeting will be held Wednesday night.

Services Sunday were well attended

## CENTENARY RALLY AT GRACE CHURCH

### Rev. A. R. Jenkins Will Speak Tonight.

Rev. A. R. Jenkins of the Methodist Centenary Movement is in the city today holding conferences with Decatur district workers. He was closeted closely most of the day at the "Y" under the guiding hand of Dr. M. N. English.

Tonight at 7:30 he will deliver an address at the Grace Methodist church in which the other Methodist churches of the city unite. It will be along Centenary lines and will thus be of interest to all.

Immediately at the close Dr. Jenkins will hold a conference with Methodist minute men, council members, unit leaders, church officials and Sunday school teachers. These should tarry at the close.

All these meetings are open to the public and are for all who may desire to come.

GRACE METHODIST.

At 7 30 tonight will occur the Centenary Rally at the Grace Methodist church. The address will be made by Dr. A. R. Jenkins.

Tuesday night at 7:15 the Epworth League Bible Study class will meet at the church for its third lesson.

Tuesday night at 8 a social and entertainment will be held at the church by the Epworth league.

Tuesday afternoon at 2 30 the W F M. S. regular monthly meeting will take place at the home of Miss Nellie Camp, 1001 North Main.

Wednesday night at 7.30, prayer meeting will be held

Thursday night at 7:30 there will be another session of the Epworth League Bible Study class at the home of S. I. Daubenspeck, 622 West Center

Saturday afternoon at 2 30 the Home Guards will meet at the church

## WANT MILLION TO TITHE INCOMES

**Laymen's Stewardship Service Held at First Methodist.**

A laymen's stewardship service with talks by members of the "tithing teams" was held Sunday morning at the First Methodist church, and proved very interesting. The talks were well received by the audience. The speakers were R. J. Holmes, Donald Gibbs, H. W. Rodgers, H. H. Lathrop, B. A. Imboden and Dr. E. T. Evans. In the talks the theme of tithing was emphasized. One phase of the centenary movement in the Methodist church is the securing of 1,000,000 members who will tithe their incomes. The quota is 20 per cent of the membership, which would mean about 400 for the local church. Already more than 100 have agreed to tithe their incomes.

The young people's devotional service in the evening was led by Miss Sellars and the high school devotions by B. A. Imboden. The pastor, F. A. Davighurst, preached at night on "Coming to One's Self," stressing the stewardship, educational and evangelistic phases of the centenary movement. From now on uuntil Easter the evangelistic phase will be emphasized.

The Queen Esther circle will have a picnic supper Tuesday evening, followed by the regular meeting.

There will be no teachers' luncheon Wednesday evening. At the prayer meeting at 7:30 the theme will be "The Relation of the Centenary Movement to Evangelism" Sunday school teachers and unit workers are urged to be present. Mrs. Florey will sing.

The General Aid society will meet at 2.30 Friday afternoon. The Southwest division will have charge of the program.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society's annual thank offering service will be held next Sunday morning. The pastor will preach the sermon.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL.

St. John's Churchwomen's society is having a special meeting this afternoon at 3 o'clock, followed by evening prayer and address at 4 o'clock.


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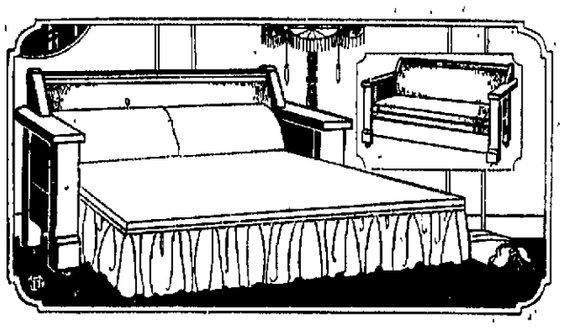

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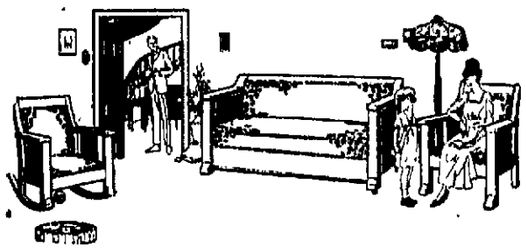

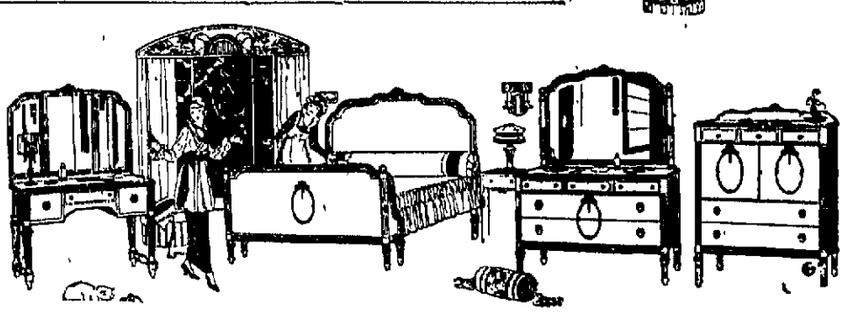

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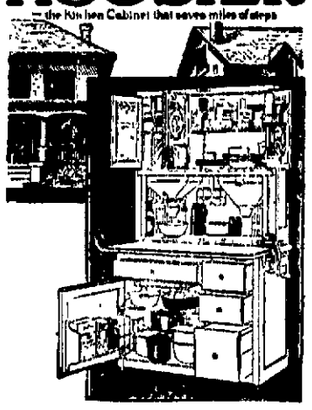

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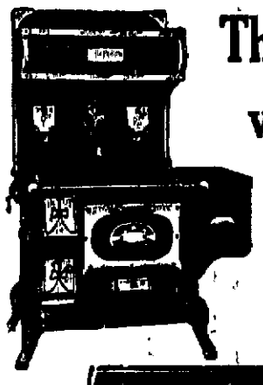

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## ST. PATRICK'S BALL TONIGHT

### Pi Phi Alumnae Event at Hotel Orlando.

SEVERAL social events are on the calendar for today. This afternoon Elks Ladies' are having their regular card party. Tonight the Elks club will have its Green ball, and the Pi Phi alumnae are having a St. Patrick's ball at the Orlando.

JOHN M. BYRNE, secretary of the Casket Makers Association of America, was in Decatur Sunday and Monday.

While in New York several days ago Mr. Byrne met Mrs. Maude Radford Warren, the writer, who has just returned from France. Mrs. Warren, who holds an honorary commission as major in the United States army, had many interesting and thrilling experiences during the time she was in France.

Incidentally, there is a great demand among periodicals of the country for her writings at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ewing returned Saturday evening from their two weeks' trip to New York.

MRS. I. N. TOMLINSON returned home Monday morning from a trip to New York. She has been away two weeks and had a delightful trip.

She was in New York at the time the famous twenty-seventh New York regiment returned home. New York is now busy with arrangements for a welcome reception for this regiment. A grand stand to be 115 blocks long is being erected for the occasion. The celebration will take place on March 27, the date being chosen to coincide with the number of the regiment.

THE Decatur high school teachers, who were visiting friends in Champaign over the week-end, were guests at several parties while there. On Friday evening Mrs. Arthur Jervis entertained with a dinner party in honor of Miss Bernice Harrison, formerly of Decatur, whose marriage to Rev. Mr. Baker of the Presbyterian church of Mattoon will take place soon. On Saturday evening Miss Pauline Osborn was hostess to a kitchen shower for Miss Harrison.


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## SANGAMON RIVER OUT OF BANKS

### Stream Now Two Feet Over the Dam.

Rains of the past few days have caused the Sangamon river to rise considerably. Engineer Joe Walker of the city water works reported Monday that the stream is now two feet over the dam and still rising. The dam is entirely submerged and only a slight riffle can be seen in the water where it is located.

The water has spread out over the bottom land, particularly between the county bridge and the dam, where the ground is exceedingly low. If the river rises much higher it will put all of the bottom land under water.

If Decatur had her proposed big dam already built, the water which is now in the Sangamon could be harnessed up and converted into a lake. As it is however, the water will all run downstream.

**All Day Quilting.**

The Sewing circle of St. Paul's Lutheran church will have an all day quilting Thursday at the home of Mrs. F. G. Forber, 1312 East Prairie avenue.

## WILL VOTE ON WESLEYAN CASE

### Determine Sentiment at Decatur Conference.

### BLOOMINGTON'S VIEW

### Does Not Seem Alarmed Over Losing College.

At the Illinois Methodist conference meeting which is to be held in the First Methodist church Thursday of this week, there will be two sessions, morning and afternoon. This is the meeting at which the sentiments of the members of the conference in regard to the location of the Wesleyan university will be learned.

A vote will be taken to determine how the ministers and laymen stand in regard to the proposition to change the location from Bloomington to Springfield. It is expected that whatever action is taken will have influence with the trustees in making their decision on the matter.

In speaking of the conference at Decatur, the Bloomington Pantagraph says:

BLOOMINGTON'S VIEW.

"A letter from Bishop Nicholson to the Association of Commerce committee in this city states emphatically that there will be no statements from the cities before the conference at Decatur. This session of the body is executive or judicial, and is called simply to receive the report of the educational commission which recently sat in Chicago. It is well known that this report favored the location of the Wesleyan in Bloomington permanently, providing the Bloomington people agree to meet certain conditions. The committees from the Association of Commerce and other bodies have been authorized to sign a formal statement that Bloomington will in fact fulfill the conditions laid down.

"This report will be made to the conference at its secret session in Decatur next week, and it seems that will close the incident to all intents and purposes. There will be no delegations of Springfield citizens admitted to the conference to open up the whole matter again, neither will it be necessary for Bloomington citizens to present arguments for this city."

## STATE MISSIONARY MEETING IN CITY

### 42nd Annual Session Here on April 1-3.

The forty-second annual meeting of the Illinois Branch of the Woman's Board of Missions of the Interior of the Congregational church, which will be held in the Decatur church, April 1-3, will open with a mass meeting to be held on Tuesday evening and addressed by Rev. Ernest Bourner Allen, of Pilgrim church, Oak Park. His theme will be "Christian Reconstruction."

On Wednesday evening there will be a reception for all officers, missionaries, delegates and guests. Special music will be furnished. Miss Flora K. Hoebner of Taiku, China, will speak in costume. Dr. Emma Boose Tucker, of Tongchow, China, Miss Idlia Hoxie, of Bombay, India, Mrs. James Pettee of Tokyo, Japan, and Mrs. L. C. Lee, foreign secretary W. B. M. I., will also share in the program.

Other interesting features of the meeting will be an officers' conference, children's "processional" and story hour, and young people's banquet.

## Decatur's First War Organization

—PHOTO BY WASSON STUDIOS

**War Mothers' Officers.**

Left to right, back row—Mrs. Frank Moore, secretary; Mrs. U. S. Potter, treasurer.

Lower row—Mrs. F. A. Carmack, first vice president; Mrs. W. E. Hartman, president; Mrs. A. A. Wolfe, second vice president.

These are the officers elected at the meeting over a week ago at which the Decatur chapter of War Mothers was organized. The women will meet on the eleventh day of each month, so their next meeting will not come for several weeks yet. Meantime they are at work looking for a place to meet, arranging by-laws, and doing other preliminary work.

## JOHN KIZER DIES IN NIANTIC HOME

Niantic, March 17—John Kizer, a retired farmer, died at the Springfield hospital in Springfield Sunday morning. He was born in Mechanicsburg, Oct. 20, 1839. He spent most of his life in Macon county. He was a veteran of the Civil war.

On Oct. 19, 1865, Mr. Kizer and Elizabeth Bingman were married. He is survived by his wife and three children, Benjamin Kizer, Mrs. Mary Duncan of Niantic and Mrs. Alice Booker of Springfield. He also leaves thirteen grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

**CASNER.**

Mrs. Kleinan and children of Decatur spent Sunday in Casner.

Mrs. Wycoff is here visiting her sister Mrs. A. W. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Chapman were Decatur visitors last week.

Mrs. Ellen Jennings visited here last week.

The Missionary society met at Mrs. Floyd's Thursday.

Mrs. Maude Davis and daughter, Miss Flossie will soon leave for Canada, where they expect to live.

Revival meetings started here Sunday.

## LIEUT DICKERSON REACHES CLINTON

**Former J. M. C. Student Brings Back Many Relics.**

Lieutenant Guy Dickerson formerly of Decatur, who recently returned from overseas with the Three Hundred Forty-Eighth Infantry, arrived in Clinton Saturday afternoon. Lieutenant Dickerson has had some great and varied experiences while in the service across, and has collected a large number of German souvenirs, including shells, automatics, bayonets, hand grenades, etc., which he will exhibit this week in S. . Rogers' drug store window at Clinton.

**Theta Alpha Class Social.**

The Theta Alpha class of the Grace Methodist church will have its monthly social at the home of Mrs. Frank Potter, 269 Stuart avenue, Wednesday afternoon, March 19.


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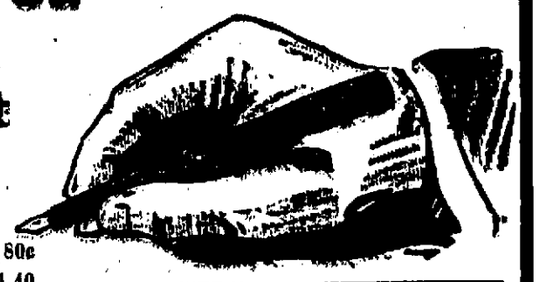

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$1.00 Nux and Iron Tablets.....85c
$1.25 Syrup Hypophosphites.....$1.00
30c Bromo Quinine.....25c
25c Bell's Royal Gold Tablets.....20c
Vicks Vapo Rub, 25c at 20c; 60c at...50c
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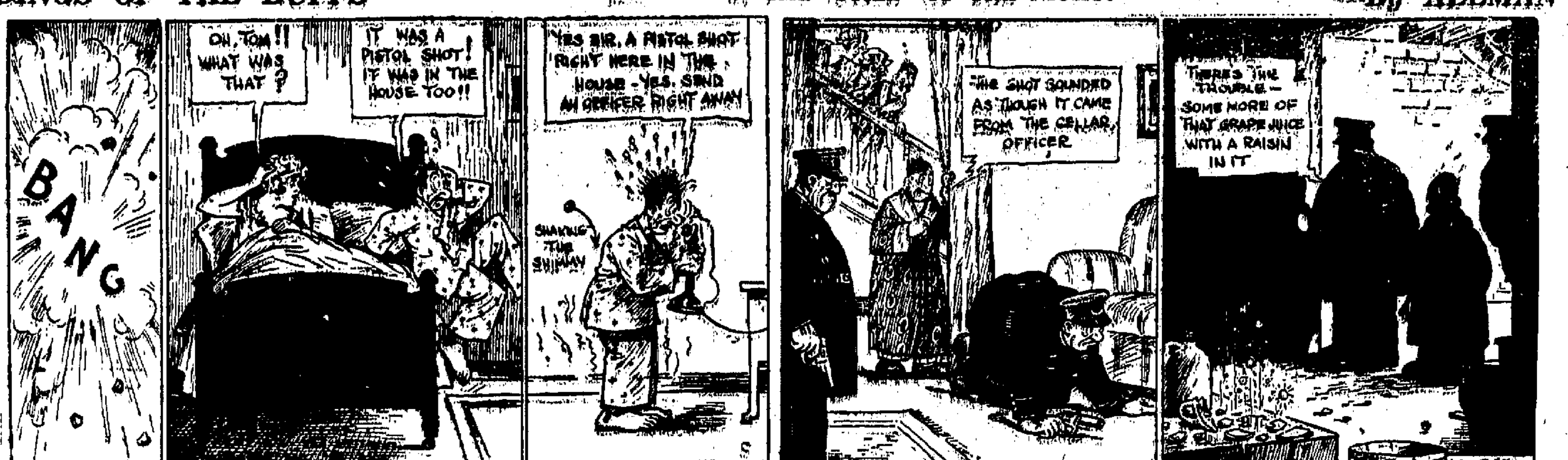

# MAKE PLANS FOR INTERSCHOLASTIC

## Annual High School Meet to Be Held May 16-17.

Urbana, March 17—With the state high school basketball tourney past into history, the Illini hosts set about making ready for another invasion of "prep" athletics. This will be the classic interscholastic track and field meet, which will be held on Illinois field May 16 and 17.

The resumption of the old time competition will be hailed with delight both by the university and by the high schoolers. The last meet was held in 1916. When war came the interscholastic games were abandoned after an uninterrupted succession of meets since 1893. The revival of the meet means much to a general revival of interest in track athletics by the high schools of the state.

MEDALS FOR FOUR PLACES.

Gold medals for first prizes, gold and silver medals for second, silver medals for third place, and bronze medals and a silver loving cup to the individual star will be awarded by a committee, Director George Huff, Coach Harry Gill, and Martin Delaney of Chicago for years the referee.

Championship banners, according to custom, will be awarded to the winners of the two classes.

The sixth annual state tennis tournament and the second annual golf tournament will also be features of the rallying of the high school hordes.

PROGRAM FOR CONTEST.

The complete program is as follows:

FRIDAY, MAY 16.

9 a. m. — Second interscholastic golf tournament.

9:30 a. m.—Sixth annual interscholastic tennis tournament.

3:30 p. m.—Baseball, Wisconsin-Illinois; class B preliminaries.

7:30 p. m.—Interscholastic oratorical contest.

SATURDAY, MAY 17.

9 a. m.—Interscholastic meet; interscholastic tennis finals; interscholastic golf finals.

1:30 p. m.—Track, Wisconsin vs. Illinois.

3:30 p. m.—Baseball, Wisconsin vs. Illinois.

6:30 p. m.—Presentation of medals.

7:30 p. m.—Annual circus.

LIST OF PREVIOUS WINNERS.

The victors of the past have been:

1893—Peoria.
1894—Urbana.
1895—Englewood.
1896—Rockford.
1897—Englewood.
1898—East Aurora.
1899—Biggsville.
1900—Biggsville.
1901—Englewood.
1902—S. Div. Chicago.
1903—Hyde Park.
1904—Pontiac.
1905—Englewood.
1906—Wendell Phillips-W. Aurora, tied.
1907—Oak Park.
1908—Oak Park.
1909—N. High, Chicago.
1910—U. High, Chicago.
1911—U. High, Chicago.
1912—Lane Tech.
1913—Oak Park.
1914—Class A. U. High; class B, La Grange.
1915—Class A. Oak Park; class B, La Grange.
1916—Class A. Joliet; class B, Harrisburg; class C, Evanston.

# ILLINOIS BEATS NOTRE DAME TEAM

## In Track Meet by Score of 44 to 42.

Notre Dame, Ind., March 17.—Illinois defeated Notre Dame Saturday night in a dual indoor track meet, 44 to 42, the meet being in doubt until the last event, the mile relay. Illinois won when Hoar fell in the third lap for Notre Dame, which gave the Illini a lead that the following Notre Dame pacer could not overcome.

Gilfillan again was the individual star of the meet, capturing first place in the shot put, high hurdles and tying for second in the high jump for a total of 12 points. Buchholt was Illinois' star. Summaries:

SUMMARY.

45 yard dash—Won by Mulligan, Notre Dame; Mills, Illinois, second; Carroll, Illinois, third. Time—:04 3-5.

440 yard dash—Won by Emery, Illinois; Barry, Notre Dame, second; Prescott, Illinois third. Time—:55.

880 yard run—Won by Brown, Illinois; Cardner, Illinois, second; Meredith, Notre Dame, third. Time—2:04 3-5.

One mile run—Won by Meehan, Notre Dame; Caskey, Illinois, second; Sweeney, Notre Dame, third. Time—4:39 4-5.

Two mile run—Won by Birks, Illinois; Blohnt, Illinois, second; O'Hara, Notre Dame, third. Time—10:15.

High jump—Won by Douglas, Notre Dame; Gilfillan, Notre Dame and Hoar, Notre Dame, tied for second. Height, 5 feet, 9 inches.

Pole vault—Won by Buchholt, Illinois; Douglas, Notre Dame, and Radamacher, Notre Dame, tied for second. Height 11 feet, 3 inches.

16 pound shotput—Won by Gilfillan, Notre Dame; Schuh, Illinois, second; Leifendahl, Illinois, third. Distance, 40 feet 1 inches.

40 yard high hurdles—Won by Gilfillan, Notre Dame; Hoar, Notre Dame, second; Buchholt, Illinois, third. Time—:05 3-5.

One mile relay—Won by Illinois (Emery, Brown, Schuh, Prescott)—Time, 3:42.

# THREE CHAMPIONS IN BOWLING TOURNEY

## How Teams Stand in Toledo Event.

Toledo, O., March 17.—Three champions will compete on the alleys of the American Bowling congress in action today.

Charles Styles of Detroit, winner of individual division at Cincinnati in 1918, will bowl his doubles and singles today.

Barry Sleers and Fred Thoma winners of the two men title last year are on the schedule for tonight with the Mineralites of Chicago.

The Potter shoe team of Cincinnati which took first place on Saturday night with 2922 score still leads.

STANDINGS.

Present standings of the tournament leaders follow:

Potter Shoe, Cincinnati—2922.
Bicycle Cards, Cincinnati—2890.
Marott Shoe Shop, Indianapolis—2878.

DOUBLES.

A—Dolker—E. Wetterman, Cincinnati—1248.
C—Moses—J. Hagerty, Toledo—1225.
A—Sinclair—H. Lempahl, Chicago—1210.

INDIVIDUALS.

F. Miller, Toledo—683.
J. Reiffy, Chicago—672.
H. Yockey, Cincinnati—672.

# SPRINGFIELD HIGH TO HONOR PLAYERS

Springfield Register: Springfield high school this morning will do honor to the Red and Black basketball team which won second honors in the state tournament at Champaign. Though after first honors, the Springfield players and rooters who went to Champaign, are satisfied that they made a good showing in the tournament in view of the loss of one man from the lineup, and the advantage in weight which the Rockford men had over Springfield.

Poscover, who was named on the all-star team for Illinois as the result of excellent playing in the tournament, shows the result of extreme efforts put forth for the Red and Black. During the three days he lost ten pounds in weight.

# STATE CHAMPIONS IN BASKETBALL

## High School Teams Which Have Won Title in Ten Years.

State champions in high school basketball in the past ten years are as follows:

1919—Rockford.
1918—Centralia.
1917—Springfield.
1916—Bloomington.
1915—Freeport.
1914—Hillsboro.
1913—Galesburg.
1912—Bethalto.
1911—Rockford.
1910—Bloomington.
1909—Hinsdale.

Rockford is the only city in the state which has tied with Bloomington in securing the state championship basketball honors. Up to this year Bloomington held the record of winning, having taken the cup in 1910 and 1916. Rockford with her championship teams of this year and of 1911 now ties Bloomington, and these two cities outdistance all others who have tried for the honor. Decatur is entirely out of the charmed circle.

# MARLYN STARR GETS DISCHARGE

## Local Baseball Player Out of Service.

Marlyn (Crip) Starr, who has been stationed at the Great Lakes Naval training station for the last year, has received his discharge and returned to Decatur. He enlisted in the navy Feb. 15, 1918 and was honorably discharged on March 8.

While he never shipped overseas Starr received good training and qualified as an expert "guard" while at the training station. As a result of his workout he has reduced about thirty pounds and is fit as a fiddle. He probably will again play amateur baseball here this summer, with the Staley team.

As a member of one of the naval baseball teams Starr made several trips about the country.

# DUCKS AND GEESE ARE FLYING NORTH

## Some Shooting in Spite of Federal Statutes.

The northern flight of ducks and geese is on and people who have been out long the river report seeing them several times. Despite in the federal law against shooting, it is said that residents near the waterworks were "awakened" the other morning by people shooting at ducks on the river near the waterworks.

# LIBERTY BOND RATES UNCERTAIN

## But They Will Probably Be Attractive, Says Heman Gifford.

Heman Gifford, federal reserve director of Liberty Loan sales for Illinois, who has made a thorough investigation of all the features of the approaching Victory Liberty Loan, is confident that the forthcoming issue of Liberty securities will prove very attractive, and because of this should be far easier to sell than the bonds of previous issues. Because the war has been brought to a successful conclusion, Director Gifford declares that the debts incurred by the government should and must be cheerfully met.

"Illinois will soon be called upon to take her share of the Victory Liberty Loan," said Director Gifford in a recent interview. "The issue will take the form of notes running not over five years, and probably bearing a higher rate of interest than previous loans. These notes, of course, will be obligations of the United States government and offer identically the same security as the bonds; in fact, there is hardly more than a verbal difference between them.

"The new notes will prove very attractive to investors and should, therefore, be far easier to sell than previous issues. Illinois has made an enviable record on the four loans so far offered, and it seems perfectly safe to assume that the patriotic spirit of the people will again respond to the government's call. The money asked for has already been expended, and the store of munitions for which it largely went had much to do with the early ending of the war and saved the lives of thousands of Illinois' bravest sons.

"The people were for the war and favored all expenditures to win it. Now that it has been brought to a successful conclusion the debts incurred must be cheerfully and promptly met."

# DEWITT COUNTY FAIR NEXT AUGUST

Clinton, March 17.—At a meeting of the stockholders and directors of the DeWitt County Fair association Saturday afternoon in the county court room the dates were set for the 1919 fair for Aug. 4-7. Committees were appointed to revise the premium lists and the speed list. The racing will be under the American Trotting rules. The fair this year will be a month earlier than it has ever been held in Clinton.

Tickets for both parties were named Saturday in the caucuses held in Barnett and Harp townships. In both townships the present supervisors were renominated by the Republican voters to run again in the election April 1. The tickets nominated Saturday were as follows:

BARNETT TOWNSHIP.

Republican ticket—Supervisor, W. H. Irwin.

Democratic ticket—Supervisor, E. P. Hildreth; justice of the peace, Roy DeMent.

HARP TOWNSHIP.

Republican ticket—Supervisor, W. H. Enos; cemetery commissioner, Charles Webb; school trustee, William Preston.

Democratic ticket—Supervisor, W. I. Lafferty; cemetery commissioner J. Campbell; school trustee, Everett Davenport.

The commissioners of highways, meeting with Superintendent Melvin Tuggle of the county, decided Saturday to delay the purchase of oil for a while until the opportunity was more favorable. In about four weeks when the time is nearer for work to be started a call will be made for bids for oil.

H. P. Rush, beef cattle man from the University of Illinois, will be the speaker before the Farm Bureau next Saturday afternoon.

Up until Saturday night forty-two new members for the farm bureau had been secured in the membership campaign. This makes the total membership 332. The goal is 500.


# A CLEAR COMPLEXION

## Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes—Most Women Can Have

### Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results.

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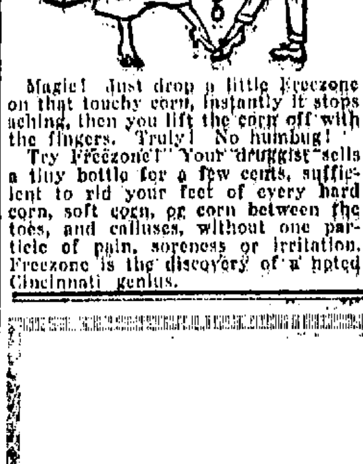

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—A diversified gathering of the new fashions for young men and men who want smart clothes.

—Really a wonderful exhibit for so early in the season. It's a good thing, though, because we never saw such a demand for good clothes so early.

—Young men are taking to the slim-waisted, high-chested styles, some with waist seams, and some with double-breasted effects that are seen in rich new browns, greys, blues, mixtures.

**$30, $35, $40, $45, $50**

*A great line of spring overcoats here at $20 and up to $35 and $40 —lots of them are rain-proofed*



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| EAST BOUND Leave Decatur | WEST BOUND Leave Decatur |
|---|---|
| 5:50 A. M. | 6:00 A. M. |
| 8:25 A. M. | 7:00 A. M. |
| 9:45 A. M. | 8:45 A. M. |
| 11:55 A. M. | 11:10 A. M. |
| 2:05 P. M. | 1:10 P. M. |
| 3:55 P. M. | 2:50 P. M. |
| 6:10 P. M. | 5:10 P. M. |
| 9:30 P. M. | 7:10 P. M. |
| | 9:10 P. M. |
| | 11:15 P. M. |

NORTH BOUND

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|---|---|
| 5:00 A. M. | 2:25 P. M. |
| 6:00 A. M. | 5:00 P. M. |
| 7:40 A. M. | 6:25 P. M. |
| 10:50 A. M. | 9:15 P. M. |
| 12:25 P. M. | 11:10 P. M. |


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### BLUE SKY TROUBLES

A lawyer in Chicago threatens to start suit for clients against Secretary of State Emmerson and he may allege damages in the sum of $500,000. This is all because of a blue sky statute we have, one that doesn't seem to do the work as it needs to be done.

It appears that the clients of this lawyer lost large sums of money because of worthless stock they purchased in a blue sky enterprise. The clients went on the theory that as the sellers had got permission to put the stock on the market, it must be about all right, that at least it held a good gambling chance. But the stock proved to be worthless from the jump.

Now the clients are contending that if a blue sky law does not protect them against misadventures of this kind, somebody connected with the administration of that law should be made to suffer consequences, in place of unloading these on innocent bystanders who were filled with confidence in the smooth working of the statute.

Of course it is one thing to start a suit for damages in the courts, and it is something else to get the money. Especially is this true when it is proposed to sue a state official.

If the secretary of state is to be held personally responsible for the administration of the blue sky law, no one will care to be secretary of state. No matter how careful a guardian is, the sharpers are sure to steal a base on him occasionally.

### A BARGAIN DISTINCTION

It is told that the Dog River Railroad between Sidell and Olney over near the eastern edge of this state, has been shut down. It will be put up at auction, and possibly the purchaser will try to operate it. It is a piece of property that can be bought for a great deal less than it cost to build.

This road was up for discussion several months since. At that time the owners went to the state utilities commission and asked permission to abandon the property. They could not make the road pay, so all they asked was the privilege of running away from it and forgetting it. They were denied this.

Then the owners managed somehow to induce the federal railroad administration to take over the line. The federal people could not make it pay, as might have been known in advance. The federal people have abandoned the property—they can do this because they don't have to ask permission of a state commission.

What price in open sale can be got for a railroad that is advertised all over the country as something that can't be made to pay expenses of operations? Perhaps here is an opening for somebody who has a few spare dollars and who yearns to have himself mentioned as a railroad president.

### WANTS TO DO ALL THE KILLING.

Emile Cottin, the miscreant who tried to kill Premier Clemenceau in Paris, has been sentenced to death by a court martial. His finish will not be long delayed.

When Cottin was sentenced he thought it a good opportunity to declare himself. So he announced he is an anti-militarist. But there was a little more than this in his next breath, he called himself a "militant anti-militarist."

That is the point with Cottin and all who run in his circle. He is willing that some militant work shall be carried on, but he wants to do all of it. He is the kind of anti-militarist who is ready to turn out and kill other people. The only time he has serious objection to militarism is when it is directed against himself.

Cottin thinks he could run the world to suit himself by carrying out the processes he has in mind. And so he could. He would turn out and kill all who don't agree with him, and of course they are never to have the privilege of taking a shot at him.

The plan doesn't work, for the reason that other people refuse to see it in the light that Cottin does. The rest of us have a prejudice against being killed, and really it is one we are not likely to surrender.

Cottin should have made his way to the Balsh brethren in Russia. There are several of those, and they seem to be his kidney. One wonders why he didn't go to Russia.

### NEEDS TO BE CAUTIOUS

Perhaps it is necessary for Mr. Hoover to be more than cautious when he is tempted to make a statement about the price of food in the times that are ahead. A good many note what he says, and some of these are inclined to use his talk for their own quick enrichment.

A short while since Hoover was reported as saying the government might not lose anything on wheat if it will have to take this year at $2.26 a bushel. He would not be surprised to see the price go higher than that in the open market. Of course he had a good deal to say about the need of wheat in Europe.

At once operators on boards of trade in this country stretched the story a little; within a week they had Hoover saying wheat would go to $3.50. They made use of this to push up the price of other foodstuffs. They were sailing high in the stiff little gale of their own they had blown upon themselves. Prices did begin to advance.

Then there was an intimation from Washington that this little game of the operators would not do. Now they are trying to get themselves started back to their senses.

But, Mr. Hoover, please be cautious.

### HAVING FUN WITH US

What is one at this distance to say about the story of the prices asked for food in France? One day we have a story the prices are outrageously high; next day these may be a story they are no higher in Paris than in Chicago.

Three reporters went to an eating place in Paris and paid $20 for a good meal, that is $20 for the three. And they did not order wine. This is mentioned as a stiff price, but we are not given enough particulars to judge. To what style of eating place did they go, and what did they order? One would not have the least difficulty in stepping into an exclusive eating place in Chicago and laying down $30 for meals for three hungry men. At the same time they could in Chicago eat to repletion at 30 cents each.

But we have two sets of stories from Paris, and they don't agree. One does not know just how to settle this question. A person could do it by going to Paris and having the experience for himself.

But they will not grant a curious person a passport to go to Paris at this time, and they won't sell him a ticket unless he has a passport. The walking isn't practical.

The fellows who happen to be on the other side can write all sorts of fairy tales to us, and we can't call them. They are using their advantage.

### PICKED THE WRONG AGENTS

The Germans expect to buy a billion and a quarter dollars' worth of foodstuffs from the Allies in the next five months. They are going to arrange somehow to pay for this.

It is expected that a great lot of this food will have to go forward from the United States. The Canadians will take a hand in supplying the demand, will go as far as they can, but the big part of the trading will be with ourselves. It means a lively time in the food industries and on the farm.

The Germans got themselves in an awful hole. They had made arrangements with their agents in Russia, the Bolsh, to get food from that country. But as soon as the Bolsh took hold, Russia quit producing enough to supply its own pressing needs. The Germans made a grave tactical blunder when they picked as Russian agents murderers in place of honest farmers.

### THERE IS A DIFFERENCE

The federal railroad administration lost $31,000,000 in the month of January. But it keeps on in business just the same.

Please note that federal administration officials in this enjoy an advantage—and if they don't enjoy it they at least employ it. If private owners and managers of the lines should lose $34,000,000 in a month, they would have to step up and settle with the judge in bankruptcy. Next month they would find themselves treading the raw pike, depending on a handout for existence.

A ship in the North sea has hit a stray mine, and more deaths are reported. One wonders how long it will be before the last of those stray mines in the seas have gone out of business.

Tuscola reports that "roads are muddy in all directions." That means forward and back, up and down, and crosswise—and then the story is only half told.

Dr. Frank Fox got away from Hot Springs before the horse races started; so we assume he brought his money home with him.

Why does a man in his senses always wait until a rainy day to buy an umbrella?

Late Saturday night Collector J. L. Pickering was telling himself he did not know there was that much money in the world.

Can't somebody get word to the Villa forces that the war is over?

When we have April showers in March do we get May flowers in April?

Get ready for the Victory loan that is headed this way.

## HERE'S HOW MUCH SEED TO BUY

The following amounts of seed will plant in each case a garden row 100 feet long. Measure your rows and buy accordingly.

| | |
|---|---|
| String beans | ½ to 1 pint |
| Lima beans | ½ to 1 pint |
| Cabbage | ¼ ounce |
| Carrot | 1 ounce |
| Cauliflower | 1 packet |
| Celery | ¼ ounce |
| All squash | ½ ounce |
| Beets | 2 ounces |
| Sweet corn | ½ pint |
| Lettuce | ½ ounce |
| Muskmelon | ½ ounce |
| Cucumber | ½ ounce |
| Eggplant | 1-3 ounce |
| Kale, or Swiss chard | ½ ounce |
| Parsley | ¼ ounce |
| Parsnip | ½ ounce |
| Vegetable oyster (salsify) | ½ ounce |
| Onion sets (bulbs) | 1 quart |
| Onion seed | 1 ounce |
| Peas | 1 to 2 pints |
| Radish | 1 ounce |
| Spinach | 1 ounce |
| Tomatoes | ¼ ounce |
| Turnip | ½ ounce |

## *Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur*

### MARCH 17, 1909.

Dr. S. O. Eads and family of Harrisburg, Ky, moved to Decatur. He was a former Arthur man.

Attorney George Sentel of Sullivan was here in the interests of Judge W. G. Cochran's campaign.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Baird.

Colonel Frank Wood of Quincy inspected Co. H. I. N. G. There were forty-eight members present.

The Macon County Ice and Cold Storage Co., was organized with $50,000 capital. The old Decatur Syenite Granite Co., building at South Broadway and the Illinois Central was purchased for a plant.

### TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The Ancient Order of Hibernians gave an entertainment in the G. A. R. hall. Father Murphy and James O'Mara made addresses.

N. B. Mayer, proprietor of the Star restaurant on Lincoln Square, closed up his business and shipped the fixtures to Columbus.

A. B. Devans left for San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Clay Depew and daughter, Edna, returned from an extended visit in Denver.

## POINTERS FOR THE MOTHERS

BY MRS. MYRTLE EDWARDS,
(CHILD WELFARE SUPT.)

As the warm, bright days come, let us not forget to take baby out in the sunshine for its recreation.

No doubt it has been housed in already really more than necessary during the winter and its little lungs need fresh, pure air, and plenty of it.

Wrap it up warmly and place it in the sunshine, each day for its nap. Shade its eyes and do not let it become chilled, but warm fresh air will make red cheeks, good sleep, and health for baby.


## RESULTS TELL

**There Can Be No Doubt About the Results in Decatur.**

Results tell the tale.
All doubt is removed.
The testimony of a Decatur citizen
Can be easily investigated.
What better proof can be had?

J. E. Kemmerer, retired farmer, 844 W. Leafland Ave., says: "I was in pretty bad shape from kidney complaint for about a year. At that time I was on my feet at work and I think that helped matters along. Many times I could hardly walk home after a day's work. I was so sore and lame across my back. I knew my kidneys were disordered and I tried different kidney medicines. I got so little relief I began to get discouraged. Doan's Kidney Pills were so well spoken of in our home papers, I got a couple of boxes at the Decatur Drug Co. and began taking them. They quickly relieved me and two boxes entirely freed me from kidney trouble."

60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.


## LIQUID STARCH BUILDING STARTED

### At Staley Co. is 150 by 300 Feet.

The past week a building was started at the Staley Starch works which in any other plant in Decatur would be looked upon as an immense affair. It is a building 150 feet wide by 300 feet long, absolutely fire proof, with a steel frame roof and while only one story high as figured out there it is as high as the usual two or three story building in the business section.

It will be the new liquid starch building and it is expected that it will be rushed to completion. The trenches for the foundations were dug the past week, test holes were sunk to find out what kind of a solid foundation was being builded upon and everything set for a hurry up job.

ALL FIREPROOF.

All the buildings being erected at the new plant, and there are from two to three going up most of the time, are of the very best fire proof construction. Steel window sash, steel frame roofs, concrete tile covered. Absolutely unburnable in every respect.

This new building is being erected west of the present office building and it is planned eventually to bring that building still farther east probably up to and including the present welfare house which the men have for their own use.

West of this big building it is planned to put the tin can factory where containers for the syrups will be built and not far away will be the factory where the boxes and packages for the dry starch will be erected.

ALMOST BEWILDERING.

In fact the plans for the complete factory are so large that they bewilder the ordinary man even when he is right on the ground among the workmen who are busy with wheel barrows, spades, concrete mixers, building now, or with the gangs who are tearing out some of the old buildings, or with the engineers who are busy with their theodolites laying out the lines for still other structures.

## INSIGNIA WORN BY THE DIVISIONS IN U. S. ARMY

**SIXTH DIVISION.**

The Sixth division is a regular army unit and was recruited from all parts of the country. It has been in France for the past seven months and its strength is estimated at 13,183 men.

## "CHRISTIANITY IS CALL TO HEROISM"

### Says Rev. T. H. Marsh at First Baptist.

"Christianity is a call to heroism or it is nothing," said Rev. T. Harley Marsh in his morning sermon on "Christian Heroism" at the First Baptist church Sunday. He said in part:

"A Christian is either a hero or he is not a Christian. The rich young man who came to Jesus wanted Christianity just as he wanted his money. It would be a good thing for this present life, it would be indispensable for the life to come. He had inherited his money, and he asks what he can do to inherit eternal life. He was fixed for this life with plenty and to spare, and he wanted to get fixed for the world to come.

"There are some people who think of God as a great agent who is to make life easy for them and so they pray to God to 'bless me and my wife, my son John and his wife.' Christianity is a call to unselfish devotion to God, and willing service for those around us. We want unselfish service from our friends, our neighbors and our officials.

"America sits at the focal point of the gaze of all the world today, because the nations are looking to us, believing and wanting to believe that we have unselfish ideals, that we went into the war with high ideals for all humanity. True Christianity is heroism or it is nothing."

Dr. Marsh's evening text was Mark 6:48, and he emphasized the thought that as Christ helped the disciples when the wind was contrary, so he will help all who ask him.

MEETINGS OF WEEK.

The Boy Scouts will meet at 7 o'clock Monday evening.

Mid-week service will be held Wednesday night.

District 7 will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. A. J. Michener, 1264 East William street. It will be a mending social.

The Sisterhood class will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Swarm on South Boyd street. A constitution will be adopted at that time.

A parents' and pupils' social will be held Friday night at 7:30 at the church.

## BEMENT CLUBWOMEN TO TELL OF TRIPS

Bement, March 17—Mrs. Sheila Pelton will be hostess to the Woman's club Tuesday afternoon. The travel program will be given. The program follows:

Roll call—"Places I Have Visited."
Music.
"Up the Hudson"—Mrs. Anna Stadler.
"A Trip Abroad"—Mrs. Polly Lamb.
"Through the West"—Miss Kathryn Fisher.
"Guatemala"—Mrs. Mary Hammond.
"Sweden"—Mrs. Maude Swenson.

Miss Nina Moore went to Indianapolis, Ind., Saturday for a few days visit to her brother, Vivian Moore.

H. C. Johnson of Logansport, Ind., was a week end guest at W. G. Cloyd's where his wife and daughter are visiting.

Young women, students at Normal, who expected to reach their homes in Bement Friday night were so delayed by the storm that they reached Decatur too late for the Champaign car, and were obliged to stay in Decatur that night.

The hard rains Friday and Saturday nights have made the roads muddy.

## MRS. A. STARR BEST AT EFFINGHAM

Effingham, March 17. — Mrs. A. Starr Best and Miss Jean Rutherford of Chicago presented the "Carry On" campaign at a nineteenth district Y. W. C. A. meeting in Effingham Thursday. The plan of work was endorsed and plans are already made for the campaign which will be started next week. The county quota is $260. Mrs. C. W. Fisher is chairman for the county. Mrs. Best and Miss Rutherford were in Terre Haute Friday and Indianapolis Saturday.

## ALFRED SCANLON PRAISES Y. M. C. A.

### Decatur Boy Says He Likes His Work in France.

Mrs. H. A. Scanlon, 1257 West King street, has received a letter from her son, Alfred, who is stationed in France. His letter is in part as follows:

"Well, here's that long wanted picture. Ain't I getting fat? If I keep on I'll look like a second "Baby Bliss." Well I'm not hurting myself working now as I'm putting all my time in at the canteen. Have been over here about three weeks and sure like my job. No wonder, work and I never did agree. Had hard luck today.

"Our Y. M. C. A. man left us this morning as he had been called back to the States. It was pretty nice for him, however, as he has only been over two months and has had a chance to see places that he wouldn't otherwise. On our part, I don't think we can get another man like him, for he sure has worked hard to get goods for the battalion. Our canteen is in the school house and is as good, and better than most places I've seen around here.

Well, I sure wish you could have been along with me on my leave. I had ten days leave at Aix la Bain, a summer resort in the southern part of France. Sure did have some good time too. A real bed to sleep in and some swell grub at a restaurant with napkins and waitresses. Oh, Boy! I sure was sorry when I had to leave and come back to the company."

## CHARLES F. BOYER UNDER ARREST

**Charged With Being Implicated in Theft at Railway and Light Co.**

Charles F. Boyer, 1570 North Edward street, aged twenty-six said to have been implicated with J. J. Curran in the theft of over $150 from the vault of the Decatur Railway and Light company a week ago last Saturday, gave himself up to the police Sundy and was placed in the county jail.

## FIRE HORSES SOLD AT MATTOON

Mattoon, March 17. — "Jim" and "Jack," the horses at fire department headquarters, and their harness sold at public auction Saturday to E. R. Sayler, superintendent of the Odd Fellows' Old Soldiers' Home, for $255. The hose wagon sold to R. A. Gabbert for $26. One of the horses is ten years old and the other eleven.


## Digests Meal When Stomach Won't

Eat without fear of indigestion, gas or acidity. No dyspepsia or any stomach distress.

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# Your Profits Swelled Enormously
## By Using the Proper Sprays and Insecticides

Spraying is no longer a matter of choice. Not so very long ago a grower would spray if he felt like it; today this grower must spray to insure good crops of fruits and vegetables, or to protect his shade trees. The small truck gardener and flower bed owner must spray also to protect themselves and insure good results. This is necessary, because insect pests and plant diseases are rapidly increasing in number. People can no longer consider spraying as an expense. They must look upon it as a good investment, necessary to produce large and healthy crops—not to speak of bigger profits.

## It Pays to Spray Intelligently

THE man who sprays his fruit or vegetables intelligently is the one who will have the bumper yield to send to market. The large increase in the number of insects attacking fruit trees and garden truck throughout the country makes it absolutely necessary for the farmer or grower to protect his crop by the proper use of insecticides.

*SHERWIN-WILLIAMS NEW PROCESS ARSENATE OF LEAD*

will help you to secure bigger profits from your orchard and garden because its application will insure a much larger percentage of perfect fruit and vegetables which will be of higher market value for you. S-W Arsenate of Lead is light in gravity and stays well in suspension. It is sure death to all leaf-eating insects, but will not burn or blight the foliage.

**Dry Powder Arsenate of Lead**

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| ½-lb. pkg. | 35c |
| 1-lb. pkg. | 60c |
| 5-lb. pkg. lb. | 55c |
| 25-lb. pkg., lb. | 48c |
| 50-lb. pkg., lb. | 47c |

## Formaldehyde Solution

*Used on your seeds, oats, corn or potatoes will add dollars to your income.*

Well begun is half done, just so with your crops. Begin your season by protecting your seed potatoes from scab and your seed oats and corn from smut and your victory is half won.

This can be easily done by the use of Formaldehyde Solution. The cost is small and the results far reaching. Be sure you do the work thoroughly and your returns are guaranteed.

**Pints . . . . . 50c**
**Quarts . . . $1.00**
**1-2 Gallon . $1.75**
**1 Gallon . . $3.25**

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| *London Purple* 1-lb. pkg. | 40c |
| ½-lb. pkg. | 25c |
| ¼-lb. pkg. | 15c |
| *Bordo Mixture* 1-lb. pkg. | 40c |
| *Slug Shot* 1-lb. pkg. lb. | 25c |
| 5-lb. pkg, lb. | 20c |
| *Tobacco Dust* 1-lb. pkg. | 10c |
| *Insecto Powder* 1-lb. pkg. | 55c |
| *White Hellebore* 1-lb. pkg. | 75c |
| *Blue Vitriol* Per lb. | 25c |
| *Kerosene Emulsion* 1 pt. bottle | 25c |
| *Tin Sprayers* Up from | 50c |

## Kill the Bugs
### Increase your Profits

It is just as important to spray your vegetables as it is to cultivate them. Spraying will effectually control troublesome insects and fungus diseases, increasing your yield and the quality. Spray them with Sherwin-Williams Insecticides and Fungicides.

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*PARIS GREEN*
Is strictly pure—made and kept at highest standard.
Is sure death to bugs—kills every time.
Is the most satisfactory Paris Green sold today.
Is uniform in strength and quality—protects the crops always.

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| 1-lb. pkg. | 65c |

## Bigger Profits.

SPRAYING can no longer be considered by the up-to-date farmer or grower as an expense. It is rather an investment. The man who sprays his orchard systematically and with the proper materials is sure to have a larger crop and more perfect fruit than the man who does not spray.

*SHERWIN-WILLIAMS LIME-SULFUR SOLUTION*

**Dry Powder Lime Sulphur**

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| ½-lb. pkg. | 30c |
| 5-lb. pkg., lb. | 25c |
| 10-lb. pkg., lb. | 24c |
| 25-lb. pkg., lb. | 23c |


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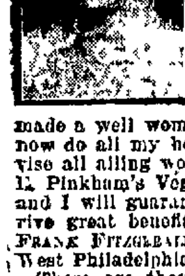
West Philadelphia, Pa.—"During the thirty years I have been married I have been in bad health and had several attacks of nervous prostration until it seemed as if the organs in my whole body were worn out. I was finally persuaded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made a well woman of me. I can now do all my housework and advise all ailing women to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I will guarantee they will derive great benefit from it."—Mrs. FRANK FITZGERALD, 25 N. 41st St., West Philadelphia, Pa.



There are thousands of women everywhere in Mrs. Fitzgerald's condition, suffering from nervousness, backache, headaches, and other symptoms of a functional derangement. It was a grateful spirit for health restored which led her to write this letter so that other women may benefit from her experience and find health as she has done.

For suggestions in regard to your condition, write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their forty years experience is at your service.

# DR. JENNEY PLANS SERIES OF SERMONS

**On "The War as I Saw It" in France.**

## CHURCH IS FILLED

**Large Audiences Greet Returned Minister.**

For the first time since his return from France Rev. C. E. Jenney conducted his regular services at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Large audiences were out to greet him, the service at night being especially well attended, the church being filled to its capacity.

Dr. Jenney spoke in the morning on "The Abiding Christ," dwelling on the permanency of Christ in the midst of changes and at night his theme was "The War as I Saw It." In the evening talk he told of his experiences in going across and his service as chaplain over there.

Among other things he told of the communion service he held in the Argonne forest. A group of men who were to go into the front line asked him to administer the sacrament of the Lord's supper and he did so, the whole battalion joining in the service. Using water from their canteens and hard bread, as the sacramental elements, a very impressive service was held. It was at the hour of 2 o'clock in the morning.

SERIES OF TALKS

Dr. Jenney expects to give a series of Sunday evening talks on "Things the War Has Taught." Next Sunday night his theme will be "America's Victory. What We Have Won," and in this talk he will give his idea of what the league of nations is as he interprets the feeling in America, England and France on that subject. In the morning he will speak on "The Church and the War."

This afternoon at 3 o'clock Dr. Jenney met the women of the church interested in the New Era movement.

The Wednesday night service will be followed by a communion service. Mrs. A. H. Mills class will have a luncheon Thursday evening at 6 o'clock at the church.

The Ladies Aid society will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. K. A. West on Linden avenue.

Dr. Jenney accompanied by Mrs. Jenney and daughter Ruth arrived in Decatur Saturday night. They are at present at the residence of T. N. Orr on South Water street, but expect to go into their own home as soon as Mr. Dando leaves for his new home in Litchfield.

CHURCH OF GOD

There will be revival services at the Church of God Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

The Ladies Aid society will meet at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the church.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN

St. Pauls Lutheran church will have Lenten services at 7:30 Wednesday evening at the church.

Thursday from 1 until 8 o'clock, announcement for the Lord's Supper will be received.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock there will be a teachers meeting at the Church of Brethren. Prayer meeting will be held at 7:30.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet on Thursday afternoon.

The cottage prayer meeting will be Friday evening at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Emma Bartean, 1333 North Water street.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

The services of the First Christian church were well attended on Sunday. Six persons joined the church during the day.

The Gleaners class will meet Monday evening at the church.

The General Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. E. W. Herman, 1307 North Monroe street Tuesday afternoon.

The third ward will meet all day Wednesday at the church.

The prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednesday night will be followed by baptism.

The sixth and seventh wards will meet all day Thursday.

The Loyal Sons and Daughters' class will meet Thursday night at the home of Mrs. D. V. Allen, 817 North Dunham street.

The Junior department of the Bible school will have a stunt party Thursday evening, to which parents and friends are invited.

There will be choir practice Friday night.

ST. JOHANNES' LUTHERAN.

The Adult Catechism class of St. Johannes' Lutheran church will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

Lenten services will be held at 7:30 Wednesday evening.

The committee on the endowment drive will meet at the school at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Sunday afternoon, there will be a meeting of the church members in regard to the endowment plans.

SECOND UNITED BRETHREN.

The Ladies' Aid of the Second United Brethren church will have an all day meeting at the church on Wednesday. Lunch will be served at the parsonage.

The teachers training class will meet at the parsonage Monday evening at 7:30.

Wednesday evening the regular prayer service will be held.

The Ladies Missionary society will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Taunt Dise, 1027 North Walnut Grove avenue.

# 4 NEW MEMBERS AT ST. PAUL'S

Four new members were received at the St. Paul's Methodist church Sunday. C. H. Young and Dr. E. L. Reeves were the minute men speakers.

The men's mission study class will meet Monday night at the church, with E. O. Sewell as teacher.

The Woman's Home Missionary society will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. E. S. Coyle, 458 North Calhoun. The mite boxes will be opened at this time.

The Epworth league business meeting and social will be held Tuesday night at the home of Arthur Faugher, Jasper and Marietta streets. The Sunday school board will meet Tuesday evening at the church.

Prayer meeting will take place Wednesday night.

The Thursday and Friday afternoon study classes for women will meet according to the printed schedule.

The Home Guards will meet at 7:15 Friday evening with Grace Ruffee, 1725 East William street.

The Ladies' Aid society will have an all day meeting Wednesday at the church.

EAST PARK BAPTIST.

The Ladies' Adelphian Bible class of the East Park Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Graybill, 1757 East North street, Wednesday evening. They will have a bakery sale on Saturday at the office of the Decatur Railway and Light company.

The midweek prayer service will be held Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid society will have an all day meeting on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Brosam, 1700 East Eldorado street.

The Junior B. Y. P. U. will have a social on Friday afternoon at the church.

# REV W. S. DANDO AT LITCHFIELD

Rev. W. S. Dando occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church at Litchfield Sunday. Dr. Dando has accepted the pastorate of this church and will take up active work there soon.


# KEEP THE CHILDREN WELL

Unless looked after children are prone to neglect themselves and become constipated.

**Bliss Native Herb Tablets**

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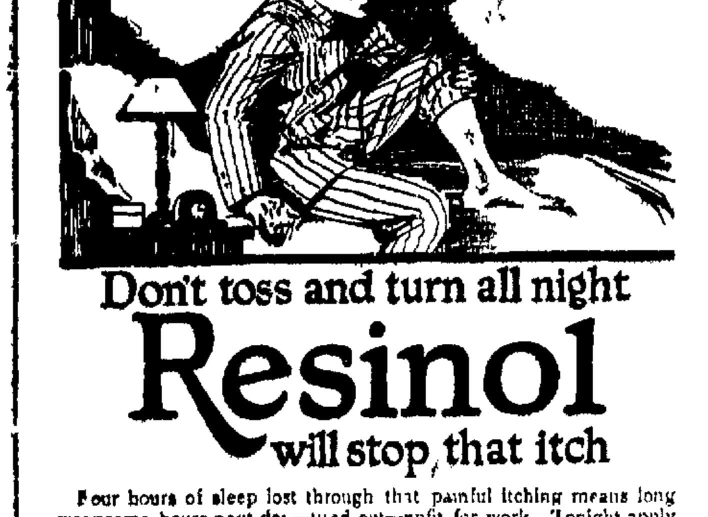

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Four hours of sleep lost through that painful itching means long wearisome hours next day—tired out—unfit for work. Tonight apply Resinol Ointment just before retiring. The results will surprise you. All itching and pain usually disappears like magic.

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—Just for today and Tuesday—these regular $1.25 and $1.50 lines of women's pure silk hose at this low price. They come in black, three shade of brown, three shades of grey, and khaki. Sale price, a pair ........

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From 50c to $5.00.

# A Sensational Purchase of Silks Placed On Sale Here Today

## Staple Domestics In A Monday & Tuesday Sale

### Extra Specials!

**25c Towels 14c**

—17x32 hemmed huck towels in a regular 25c grade, today and Tuesday, each 14c.

**35c Towels 19c**

—18x36 huck towels, hemmed, in plain and woven designs. Best 35c values for two days at 19c.

**59c Tubing 39c**

—Pequot pillow tubings; 36, 40, 42 and 45-inch widths; best standard 59c grades, a yard 39c.

**39c Nainsook 25c**

—Genuine Berkley superfine nainsook for fine underwear. Best 39c grade, a yard 25c.

**69c Sheeting 49c**

—9-4 genuine Pepperell bleached sheeting, a standard 69c grade for two days, a yard 49c.

**Ten Yards $1.89**

—Yard-wide, extra fine, heavy unbleached sheeting, a regular 25c grade, TEN YARDS $1.89.

**Oil Cloth 45c**

—Genuine Sanitas oil cloth, in plain white and neat tile effects, best made, a yard 45c.

Nine-inch Blue Border, to Match Above Oilcloth, at 5c a Yard

**Hope Muslin Sale**

—Today and Tuesday we will sell genuine Hope Muslin—cut off full bolts—at TEN YARDS for $1.68

**20c Muslins, 15c**

—Yard-wide, good quality unbleached muslin, worth 20c yard, today and Tuesday, yard 15c.

**39c Cases, 29c**

—42x36 bleached Wearwell pillow cases, made of Wearwell casing; best 39c grade, a yard 29c

**Pequot Cases 39c**

—42x36 genuine Pequot pillow cases, made of tubing, best 50c grade, a yard 39c.

**$1.95 Sheets $1.50**

—81x90 Pepperell bleached bed sheets, made of 9-4 sheeting; torn, ironed, hemmed, at $1.50.

**$2.50 Sheets $1.95**

—81x90 Pequot bleached sheets, made from 9-4 sheeting; torn, ironed, hemmed; each $1.95.

**Bed Spread Sale**

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| All $2.50 crochet bed spreads now | $1.68 |
| All $3.00 crochet bed spreads now . . | $2.19 |
| All $4.00 crochet bed spreads now . . . | $2.50 |
| All $4.50 crochet bed spreads now . . . | $2.95 |
| All $5.00 crochet bed spreads now . . . | $3.50 |

## Special Sale Nainsook

—Johoce Japanese Lingerie Nainsook, the finest of all fabrics for the fashioning of dainty underwear or infants' layettes. Ten yards in a piece, neatly boxed. Here's how you can save on these goods today and Tuesday:

| —10 yards of 39c, 36-inch Velvet finish | —10 yards of 45c, 36-inch Silken finish | —10 yards of 50c, 36-inch Velvet finish |
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| $3.50 | $3.95 | $4.50 |

*Thrifty Housekeepers Are Taking Advantage of*

## March Sale Prices On RUGS AND DRAPERIES

—which are considerably less than the same goods can possibly be bought for in April. Buy rugs now or pay more later.

**$45 to $50 9x12 Rugs for $39.50**

—Odd and dropped patterns in excellent quality velvets and Axminsters; a big variety to select from. Real bargains.

**9x12 Tapestry Brussels at $22.50**

—A real bargain in an inexpensive rug that will give you good service in any room. Shown in small all-over designs.

**9x12 Heavy Brussels Rugs $37.50**

—These are almost of Body Brussels quality, and are shown in Body Brussels designs. Remarkable values.

**Processed Linoleums 47c Square Yard**

—Six-foot felt back linoleums, in several choice designs.

***See Our Special Bargains in 9x12 Wilton Rugs at $59.75, $69.75 and $79.75 each***

**Curtain Swiss 50c Value 29c**

—A very fine quality curtain Swiss, 40 inches wide, in new designs; regularly 50c yard. Today and Tuesday, yard . **29c**

**A Sale of Odd Curtains $1.95**

—One to three pairs of kind, of net, marquisette and voile curtains, 2½ yards long, sold up to $5.00, at a pair .. **$1.95**

*To Encourage Early Buying We're Selling*

**Up to 25c Wall Papers at 12½c and 15c Roll**

—Wall papers for every room in the house at these two prices; living rooms, dining rooms, halls and bedrooms; fully 200 different designs with cut-out borders or bands to match. Paper bought this week can be hung promptly before the rush begins.

## —3,500 yards of beautiful Tub Silks and Silk Poplins bought at a price which enables us to offer them to Gebhart customers for about wholesale cost.

—It is one of the most important silk transactions this store ever negotiated and is doubly important in that it comes at a time when just such silks as these are most wanted. You will find them all displayed for convenient choosing, with an almost unlimited variety of patterns in each lot to select from. The sale continues through Tuesday and Wednesday.

**$1.50 Tub Silks 89c**

—1000 yards in this lot. Fine texture tub silks, 32 inches wide, in a big selection of colored stripe patterns on light and dark grounds. Excellent for men's shirts and women's waists. A real $1.50 line for 89c yard

**$2.50 Tub Silks $1.59**

—500 yards in the lot. 32-in. striped tub silks on light grounds and 32 inch crepe de chine silk shirtings, in a big range of choice styles. These are actually $2.50 silks, going in this sale at choice, $1.59 a yard

## 2,000 Yards $1.50 Silk Poplins, 95c

*The Biggest Silk Bargain of the Year*

—2000 yards of 36-inch silk poplins in this purchase; shown in a wide range of fashionable shades. These are fine texture poplins suitable for all spring apparel requirements, actually worth $1.50 a yard. Come and take your choice of the lot, yard........ **95c**

## $4.00 Silk Matelesse

**$2.95 A YARD**

—A special lot of 42-inch rich silk matlesse, for the fashioning of women's capes, coats and suits; shown in champagne, kelly and plum. A regular $4 grade, this sale, a yard, $2.95.

***—See window display of the sale silks***

***Sale Continues Through Tuesday***

**Monday & Tuesday SPECIALS**

**$2.25 Georgette $1.95**

—Our regular $2.25 grade of extra heavy Georgette waisting, 40 inches wide, in all shades, today and Tuesday **$1.95**

**Printed Georgettes**

—Just received a number of beautiful new figured patterns in printed Georgette, so much in demand for overdrapes and waists. A yard.... **$3.25**

**Handkerchiefs 9c**

—Twenty dozen of men's neat, plain hemmed handkerchiefs, in regular 10c values, today and Tuesday . . . **9c**

**Dresser Scarfs 43c**

—18x50-inch pretty white dresser scarfs, laced trimmed; regular 75c values, today and Tuesday **43c**

**House Dress Sale**

—Decatur Garment Company's regular $2.95 to $3.45 gingham and percale house dresses, in sizes to 48, special . **$1.95**

**Tissue Ginghams 39c**

—300 yards of 27-inch tissue ginghams, in colored stripes on white ground; all yarn dyed, fast colors, yard . . . **39c**

**Zephyr Ginghams 35c**

—32-inch Zephyr ginghams, in plaids and solid colors, worth regular 50c yard. Today and Tuesday, yard ....... **35c**

**Serpentine Crepe**

—28-inch Serpentine Crepe in floral and Jap designs on light and dark grounds; also solid shades, yard ..... **35c**

**$1.50 Purses, $1**

—Popular styles in women's back strap purses; black and colored leathers; mostly silk lined. Worth $1.50. Special ....... **$1**

*Fetching New Styles in*

## Children's Spring Coats

—Quite the best looking coats we've seen designed for little folks' wear.

—Developed of wool poplins, serges, novelty checks and silk poplins and taffetas. Many of which take added smartness from bright colorings.

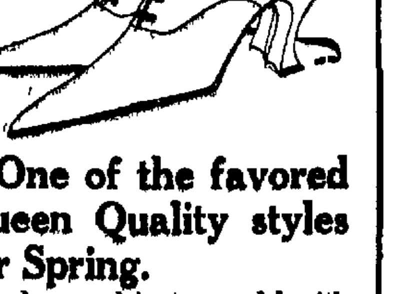
—The values are typical of "Gebhart's."

Infants' Sizes, 2 to 6 years **$3.95 to $9.95**

Intermediate Sizes 7 to 10 years **$4.95 to $9.95**

Growing Girls' Sizes 10 to 16 **$6.75 to $19.50**

**Lace Oxfords $7**



**—One of the favored Queen Quality styles for Spring.**

—A dressy plain toe model with Louis heel, developed of rich, dark brown calfskin. Price $7.

—This is but one of many styles now on display here at from $5.50 to $9.50.

*To Go With the New Spring Outfits*

**Hy Art Petticoats, $3.95**

—March Hy-Art styles are particularly designed to conform to the lines of the new skirts, and come in all new shades and changeables. Hy Art petticoats give you a real $5.00 quality for $3.95 because we and a number of other merchants contract for the entire monthly output of the Hy Art factory.

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**Wanted**—Job on farm by 18 year old boy. 920 E. Eldorado St. Fairview 87.

**Wanted**—By young woman, a place as companion for lady or invalid, wishing to travel or go to health resort. C-331 care of Review.

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**Wanted**—Laborers for storing ice at the Wabash Ice House.

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**Wanted**—Girls for laundry work at Schudel Bros Laundry.

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**Wanted**—Woman to do washing. Must come to house. Phone Main 1218.

**Wanted**—An experienced girl for housework. One in family. Call Main 2462 or at 204 Stewart Ave.

**Wanted**—Experienced maid for general housework. References required. Mrs. George A. Williams, 1324 W. Eldorado.

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**Wanted**—Floor show case six or seven foot long. James G. Parker, Phone Main 681.

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**Wanted to Rent**—By returned soldier, 4 or 5 room house, modern or partly modern. A-1 references furnished. Address C-305 care of Review.

**Wanted**—By man and wife, 2 or 3 unfurnished rooms by April 1. References exchanged. Call Main 1191 at once.

**Wanted to Rent** — Furnished house or apartment. Responsible parties. No children. C-192 care of Review.

**Wanted to Rent**—3 or 4 rooms for light housekeeping. Modern. C-177 care of Review.

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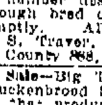
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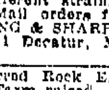

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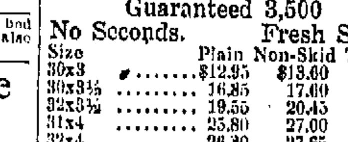

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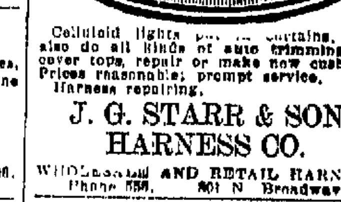


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Also other used cars for sale or trade.
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Used Car Exchange
Main 1268. 321 E. William.

### TYPEWRITERS.

**Adding Machines**, Typewriters, Cash registers, check writers, and duplicating machines, sold, bought or exchanged. Largest stock in southern Illinois. Prices most reasonable. Write for quotation. Stewart Typewriter Exchange, Main office, Mattoon, Ill.

**For Sale**—Oliver typewriter, No. 5. Apply at 1213 N. Monroe.

**For Sale**—One latest model No. 10 Royal Typewriter, almost new, $35.00. Address C-033 care of Review.

### MONEY TO LOAN.

**To Loan**—$1,000 on city property. R. E. Dickinson, Atty., 149 E. Main.

We'll Lend You
$100 $200 $300
or a Smaller Sum
If you can use $300 or less to your advantage and want to get it quickly and in a confidential manner, see us.
You can get the full amount in cash. No charges for investigation or for drawing papers.
We do not notify your employer, neither do we make inquiries of your friends, relatives or tradespeople. All dealings absolutely confidential.
We call your special attention to the fact that we lend at legal rates, for the reason we are licensed by and bonded to the State of Illinois to loan money in sums of $300 and less, and we are under the supervision of the Department of Trade and Commerce, all of which assures you a "square deal" in every respect.
Fidelity Loan Co.
Phone: Main 370. Hours: 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. 315 Citizens Bldg. 248 N. Water.

**MONEY TO LOAN**—In amounts of $10,000 or more, on Decatur business property and Illinois farms. Loans closed promptly. Brinkerhoff & Co. Springfield Ill.

**Money To Loan**—On furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc. Easy payment plan. All business private. Phone 2270.
Decatur Loan Office
202 Citizens Bank Building.

### PROFESSIONAL.

Jas. E. Kanis
Spinal Adjuster
544-F. Orak Bldg.

PROFESSIONAL NOTICE
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
DR. A. E. PRINCE
OF SPRINGFIELD, ILL.
Consultation Days 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at office of Dr. Tobey (Dentist), 500 Powers Bldg., Decatur.

### BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

**For Sale**—Country store handling general merchandise. Also huxter outfit; fixtures priced right, and will invoice stock. Reason for selling, other business. G. W. Robertson, Walker, Ill.

**For Sale**—Complete threshing outfit, consisting of 22 H. P. Rumley Steam Engine, water tank, 36-60; advance separator, all in excellent running order. Good price for quick sale. D. H. Trazier, Hammond, Illinois.

For Sale — $1000 worth of Safdicator stock at eighty cents on the dollar. 605 S. Broadway. C. C. Heise.

Stocks and Bonds
Will buy or sell: Globe Oil, Afterthought Copper Perfection Tire, Harroun Motors, Oklahoma Oil & Refining, Elgin Motors, Western Development, Atlas Mining, Hoffman Oil, Sammies Oil, Eastland Oil, Uncle Sam Oil, National Oil, and many other unlisted stocks. Get my prices first. A. L. Deibel Boatmen's Bank Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

**I strictly forbid** anybody of giving Roy Hobson any intoxicating drinks or to harbor him. Mrs. Mary Hobson.

**I Will** pay cash for your Liberty bonds or bond contracts. S. H. Tolly, Room 1, Stine Bldg.

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FURS
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Main 283
CALL NOW.
The J. C. Logsden Co.
Corner Broadway and Sangamon Streets

### FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS.

**For Sale**—East front lot in West Lawn; next to Oak Crest addition. For particulars, Phone Main 3820.

**For Sale**—2 splendid lots, east front, on paved street, half block from street car; all other conveniences. Will sell right. W. L. Huff, Main 914.

**For Sale**—Full size lot on W. Cushing; water and sewerage; 3 blocks west of Edward car. Call 360 W. Leafland.

**For Sale**—Say, if you intend to build this summer, take a look at those nice lots corner of W. Eldorado and N. Fairview Ave., facing the park. Price is right. For information, write to Dr. F. S. Childs, 709 Watts Bldg., San Diego, Cal. No agents.

**For Sale**—Lot in Chamber of Commerce addition; one half block from street car line. Apply at 417 North Main St.

### FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

**For Sale**—5 room modern cottage on full lot, close in, north side, fine location on paved street. Main 1700.

**For Sale**—2 six room strictly modern houses. Good condition. Located on 300 block West Packard St. Call Main 1364.

**For Sale**—Several first class residence properties; also some choice vacant lots, close in. Stouffer Bros., 503 North Main St.

**For Sale**—Practically new 6 room modern cottage. 1182 W. Decatur.

**For Sale**—Cheap; one eight room house; one seven room house; one four room house all on full sized lots on paved streets partly modern small amount down, balance easy payments, for particulars Call 429 North Union. Phone 964.

**For Sale**—Dandy 6-room house, barn, room for two autos. 1183 W. Decatur. Apply of owner. Main 3388.

**For Sale**—6 room partly modern cottage, fine location; west side, priced for quick sale. Main 825.

**For Sale**—6, 7 and 8 room houses. Close in; prices from $1800 to $4800. Main 1009.

**For Sale**—Immediate possession, my home located at 322 S. Union St. Main 1825. Mrs. V. N. Hinkle.

**For Sale**—7 room house by owner. 1734 East North St.

**For Sale**—Good five room cottage not modern, fine lot close in, half cash balance like rent; a bargain. C-210 care of Review.

**For Sale**—A partly modern 5 room bungalow, in northwest part; on full sized lot. Almost new. Price $2600. Main 5015.

**For Sale**—Seven room modern house. Close in for less money than you can build a house for. T. T. Springer, 157 E. Main St. Main 1770.

**For Sale**—7 room house including bath at 524 E. King. Thoroughly modern. Call Main 540 or 750 E. Eldorado.

**For Sale**—7 room modern house excellent condition, 1 block from car line and school house. Shade and fruit trees, good barn, cistern water in house. Best neighborhood. Owner leaving city. Cash $4000. No agents. C-227 Care of Review.

**For Sale**—6 room part modern cottage. West side. Main 2471.

**For Sale**—Ten room house with bath. All modern. Would rent for $45. Good location for boarding and rooming house. Call Main 4202.

**For Sale**—Fine modern home, well located, car line and school. Reasonable. Leaving city. 1860 E. William St. E. W. Holmes owner.

**For Sale**—9 room house, corner lot in north part. Excellent location. Will sell at sacrifice. Main 4752.

### FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

**For Sale**—9 room modern house, 1000 block West Main. Easy terms if desired. Call Main 1127 or address W. S. Holmes, Effingham, Ill.

**For Sale**—Investment on homes; fine flat close; $10,000; 2 homes W. Prairie, $10,000 and $13,000; beautiful 5 room brick bungalow, $6,500; beautiful 5 room bungalow, $4,500; 7 room N. Church, big lot, $4,500; 4 room bungalow, W. Wood, $2,000; 3 room, N. Broadway, $1,000. Home Realty Co. 216 Citizen Bank Bldg. List your properties with us.

**For Sale**—5 room bungalow, 285 W. Garfield, by owner. Main 425. Fairview 516.

**For Sale**—Six roomed house, 3 large closets an attic, two alcoves, pantry cement basement under entire house, and sealed. Garage and barn with two box stalls, one shed off barn 12X20, one 24X40 cement basement under same with exceptions of floor 24X28, well and cistern. House wired and flue large enough for furnace. Lots one and two in Bradley Campbell addition, one-half acre, an ideal location and suburban home on North Broadway first house south of Green house on the Bloomington car line. Also a 1916 Maxwell car driven less than 4500 miles and a rubber tire spring wagon can be used for trailer to any car if desired. Also 71 new hot bed sashes. All property sold from owner direct to buyer. I'm leaving city. Apply at above address.

**For Sale**—Strictly modern 5 room bungalow, with bath, on paved street; one block to car line. 461 W. Division St.

**For Sale**—Eight room modern house. 247 N. Illinois St.

**For Sale**—Thoroughly modern, exceptionally well built house, near University, immediate possession. Owner 1065 W. Main, Main 2032.

**For Sale**—5 room cottage in good condition. Electric lights, gas, sink and sewage. Call 1336 E. Leafland.

**For Sale**—4 room cottage, not modern, but very cheap. Paved street. Phone J. E. Osborne. Main 684.

**For Sale**—1 5 room modern, west side, at a bargain. Price $2650. One 5 room northwest, $2200. One 4 room northwest part $1800. Phone Main 652 E. Abraham.

**For Sale**—5 room house; modern except gas. Hardwood floors. Concrete basement. Attic floored and heated. Large cistern with automatic pump. Living room 16X22. Immediate possession. Easy terms made to right party. Call Fairview 703.

**For Sale**—7 room mod. W. Wood, fine location. $4,500; 6 room pt. mod. N. part, $2,400. A. M. Parker. 1117 W. Wood. Phone 2730.

**For Sale**—A four-room house and one to three acres of land. Call Main 3802.

**For Sale**—7 room modern house. Close in. Now vacant, cheap if sold soon. Call owner. Main 1445.

**For Sale**—5 room, 962 North Edward, 4 room, 850 E. Marietta; Business property 561 North Morgan. Buy direct from owner, save commission. Call 450 North Morgan. Phone Main 2601.

**For Sale**—6 and 7 room modern houses, one block P. O. Main 3973. Cash or terms.

**For Sale or Trade**—For vacant lot; new 5 room modern bungalow, with one or two lots. Northwest part. Bargain. Call Fairview 137.

**For Sale or Trade**—Two rooms and summer kitchen, in Peoria for few acre close to Decatur or small city property. Address R. A. Curtiss, R. R. No. 1, Box 132, 105 Iowa street, Peoria, Ill.

**For Sale**—6 room house at 637 West Leafland. Furnace heat. Call at 645 W. Leafland.

**Beautiful** residence lot, northwest corner W. Wood and Dennis Ave., 102x100, pavement, sewer and all improvements; $3,500. See owner, Paul B. Wilder, 129 N. Main St.

FOR SALE
Four five-room modern cottages, East William; five modern houses, East Prairie; six new modern bungalows, north and west; eight modern new cottages, north and west; six room, all modern cottage, North Main; six-room, all modern cottage South Webster; twenty small tracts of land, improved close.
ALLEN
145 Merchant Street Conklin Building

New 5 R Bungalow $2850
In east part of city, concreted basement and garage. This is a bargain.
Eight-room modern home, fine corner lot, paved all around and paid. Price, $6,000.
An acre or half-acre near Wabash shops, will sell on terms or trade on small house.
W. F. PICKLE
146 East Main Phone 2182

Well Selected Homes
Seven-room bungalow; west end; ideal location. This will sell quickly.
Five-room bungalow; West Forrest; very pretty location; new; early possession.
Six-room bungalow; west end; nothing finer; splendid surroundings; a beautiful home.
Eight-room house; Cobb avenue; unusually well built and finished; nothing finer in city.
Five-room bungalow; north end; construction, location and price make this very attractive.
Seven-room modern house; north end; a fine home; $1,000 down; balance monthly.
Six-room house; North Edward; $500 cash, balance like rent. This is a bargain.
Five-room; northeast end; $250 cash, balance $15 per month.
We have an extensive list of carefully selected homes and can satisfy all classes of buyers. For the present our office will be open evenings until 9 o'clock.
DONALDSON REAL ESTATE CO.
144 North Main Street Phone Main 707

For Sale on Payments
Two houses of three and four rooms, two large lots, two wells and cistern, on East Decatur street. A bargain for $1,150.
Large three-room house, close in, on corner lot 40x154 feet; $1,400; $400 cash, balance on easy payments.
Schoenle & O'Mara
123 East Main Street.

**For Sale**—3 rental properties in east end. Payments like rent. Main 1804.

**Landology**—A magazine giving the facts in regard to the land situation. Three months subscriptions, Free. If for a home or as an investment, you are thinking of buying good farm lands, simply write me a letter and say "Mail me Landology and all particulars free." Address Editor Landology, Skidmore Land Co., 180 Skidmore Bldg., Marinette, Wis.

$200
$15 per month, buys six-room, with gas, city water, North Morgan street; $2,100.
Six-room, part modern, 700 block West Macon; $3,000.
Have plenty cash buyers. Will be pleased to list your property.
Room 4, Stine Building, Decatur.
I. J. Glosser
Phone 967-2

FOR SALE
Six-room modern cottage, full basement cemented, close in, west side; $4,000.
Eight-room, modern, hot water heat, slate roof; a real bargain; $4,500.
B. F. Darden & Son
323 Powers Building Main 144 or 3520

$200.00 DOWN
buys a good 5 room cottage in Riverside addition; electric lights, good well and basement; $1,000. Also 8 room house on N. Illinois St., at $1,250.
E. F. DROBISCH
220 Millikin Bldg. Phone 4612

A REAL BARGAIN
5 room all modern, mantle and grate, pavement all paid. Located 300 block South Webster St. This is a cheap house, come and see it. Price $2,850.
J. M. PICKLE
220 Millikin Bldg. Phone 5909.

### FOR SALE—FARM LANDS.

**310 acres** of land in Richland County, Ill., near Olney to exchange for a good stock of merchandise. S. J. Van Matre, Calhoun, Illinois.

**Farm** — 333 acre Montgomery county grain and stock farm. Fine improvements, big bargain, liberal terms. Act quickly. J. H. Roberts, Coffeen, Ill.

**Mr. Investor**—For a short time we can offer you some good Minnesota Land at $5.00 per acre. Act quick. Pend Oreille Real Estate, 304-5 Robeson Bldg., Champaign, Ill.

**For Sale**—Five-room house, part modern, 424 E. Decatur, $2,200. Herman Roucher, Main 2011. 409 Bachrach Bldg.

**For Sale**—80-acre farm; fine buildings, very productive shale subsoil, power pump, water system, close to city, big market. Price $160 per acre—less than cost. There's a reason. Terms to suit. Address Chas. Reed, Eau Claire, Wis., R. 1, Box 37.

**Canadian Ranch for sale**—One of the best wheat and stock ranches in Alberta for sale. Contains 800 acres, 250 in cultivation. All fenced and crossed fenced. Elaborate improvements, consisting of house 28 by 28 feet, horse barn, cow barn, hog house, garage, granary, to hold 15,000 bushels. This place will double in value in the next five years. Price for quick sale at $35 per acre. Terms. For photos and full particulars write to the owner. Box 13, Big Valley, Alta, Canada.

**Corn Farm For Sale**—100 acres in La Grange County, in the famous "Hawpatch" of Northeastern Indiana. Splendid location, only 4½ miles east of Millersburg and 5 miles west of Topeka, both good railway and market towns. District school only 1 mile from farm. Nearest church (United Brethren) only 2 miles a way. Land level except about 80 acres gently undulating, 140 acres in cultivation, 20 acres in timber. Top soil good chocolate loam with clay subsoil. Well drained into tile outlet. Good 2-story, 7 room house with large porch; barn 40X72X22; corn crib hog house 40X14, smoke house and wood house; 2 driven wells and wind pump, with water piped to house and barn. Fences principally woven wire. Nice orchard on farm. A splendid money-making farm at $177 per acre. The Straus Brothers Company, Ligonier, Ind. Write us or ask Bruce Henderson, our District Manager, First National Bank Bldg., Champaign, Ill., to call upon you.

### SUBURBAN.

**For Sale**—Fine little fruit and poultry place all fixed to make money. Joins city. Only buyers need call. Main 1362.

**For Sale**—6 acres good land, unimproved, across road from Enterprise school. Terms or cash. Look land over then write or phone A. D. Fletcher, Blue Mound, Ill.

**For Sale**—4½ acres with house and outbuildings; also 2-3 acre of strawberries and orchard $3,600 in cash or will consider place in Decatur. Mrs. J. B. Ehrhart, Boody, Ill.

### LEGAL NOTICES.

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION.
Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Farmers State Bank & Trust company of Decatur, Illinois at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1918, as shown by the annual report made by the said bank as a trust company, to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law, and filed in the office of the said Auditor of Public Accounts on the 3rd day of February, 1919.

ASSETS.

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| Cash on hand and due from banks | $148.98 |
| Total Assets | $145.98 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Deposits | $148.98 |
| Total Liabilities | $148.98 |

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss.
J. R. Pogue, one of the managing officers and W. K. Whitfield and Carl Weilepp two of the directors of the Farmers State Bank & Trust company, a corporation of the State of Illinois, being severally duly sworn, each upon his oath states:
That he makes this affidavit for the purpose of complying with the requirements of Sections 9 and 10 of an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled, "An Act to Provide for and Regulate the Administration of Trusts, by Trust Companies."
That the foregoing report of the said Farmers State Bank & Trust company on December 31st, 1918, and exhibits accompanying the same, are true and correct in all respects to the best of his knowledge and belief, and that he has examined the assets and books of the said company for the purpose of making said report.
J. R. POGUE
W. K. WHITFIELD
CARL WEILEPP
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 30th day of January, 1919.
C. A. FOSTER,
(Seal) Notary Public

## RESUME WORK ON TUSCOLA GYM

Tuscola, March 17.—Work has been resumed the past week on the new heating plant and gymnasium building at the high school, which has stood untouched by the workmen, since last fall. The work was started last spring but inability to get building material caused a delay and operations were suspended for the winter.

The timbers for the support of the roof have been put in place and the building will likely be pushed to completion as fast as the weather will permit. It is the expectation that this building will be used with a new school building, which is conceded by all the citizens must be built at no distant date.

Harold Steven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Steven who recently underwent an operation at the Tuscola hospital for appendicitis was removed to their home east of town Saturday.

A number of Tuscola people attended an operetta at Villa Grove Friday night, given by the high school pupils of that place.

Miss Gene Wamsley of Tuscola, who is teaching music in the Villa Grove schools was in charge of the play.

The Boys' class at the Tuscola Methodist Sunday school, taught by Charles K. Moorehead, together with their girl friends enjoyed a hay ladder ride to the home of Albert Groves, with A. L. Maris Friday night.

On account of a break down in her health, Miss Saunder, who has been head nurse at the Jarman Memorial hospital since its opening the first of this year, left her position Saturday. Miss Saunder who is to be married soon had tendered her resignation some time ago, to take effect April 1. A successor to Miss Saunder has not yet been selected.

Miss Helen Brown spent Sunday with relatives at Camargo.

C. B. Hammett of Clarence, Mo., a former Tuscola resident has been visiting his mother, Mrs. W. S. Hammett.

Joseph Downs and Vance Cornwell arrived in Tuscola Friday from Lansing, Mich., from which place they drove Mr. Downs' auto which had been sent to the factory for rebuilding following its being smashed up in a collision with a C. & E. I. train near Tuscola a few weeks ago. Mr. Cornwell also drove back another car of the same make for his sales room here. They reported a variety of roads and weather, the former ranging all the way from good, to mud holes where the hubs of the cars dragged and the latter from fine sun shine to both rain and snow.

Mrs. Bertha Flack went to Chicago Saturday.

G. R. Jones was a Saturday's business visitor at Sullivan.

Mrs. T. E. Dickinson has returned from a visit with her mother at Patoka, Ind.

The Music department of the Tuscola Women's club will meet Tuesday afternoon.

## KENNEY.

Mrs. James Baker, who has been seriously ill at her home in Chestnut, was brought to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gandy, last week.

Mr. Westlake has moved to the Pennington property.

Mrs. Jacob Kraft of Decatur visited here last week with her brother, L. W., and A. E. Trowbridge.

Mrs. Lydia Lowe went to Decatur Friday where she is visiting her son, Roy.

Mrs. James Peters has the smallpox. This is the fourth case for Kenney.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Meadows on Monday March 10, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Montgomery March 6, a daughter.

G. C. Johnston has gone to Vicksburg, Miss., where he will work in Ellsworth Turpin's steam shovel crew.

Mrs. Anne Rybolt of Decatur visited her sister, Mrs. J. D. Schoby, here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burwell are ill with the "flu."

Mrs. John Edwards returned from Arrowsmith Thursday where she has been caring for her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Carburg and little son, who have been ill with influenza.

H. L. Harms has returned from Golden Gate, where he has been looking after his farm.

R. H. Henson has purchased the interest of A. L. Kirby in the Kenney meat market.

Earnest Dennon has moved from the Irwin farm to a farm near Atlanta.

R. M. Sutt's visited his sister, Mrs. Auston Thompson, in Bloomington last week.

Mrs. I. M. Kemp went to Decatur Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Howard Helmick.

Chauncy Myers of Cornа, Illinois, visited the first of the week with his mother, Mrs. Mary Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Foster attended the Printer's association meeting at Springfield last week.

Coleman Isaac has gone to Oklahoma where he has a position in the oil fields.

A. S. Green and family are all ill with influenza.

Mrs. W. E. Peters is ill with influenza.

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# BUILDING TO EQUAL FIVE YEAR PROGRAM

## U. S. Labor Agent Estimates 1919 Public Works.

### By A. E. GELDHOF.

Washington, D. C.—A decided revival of building all over the country, but particularly in the middle west, is reported by Henry N. Teague, field agent for the U. S. Department of Labor, who has just completed a six weeks' tour from coast to coast.

"There will be a great deal of public building during the next six months," said Teague. "The public improvements program for 1919, I am convinced, will equal that of any five years in the country's history, and the road building activities from the Atlantic to the Pacific, once they are under way, will be tremendous.

"The scope of improvement work is much larger in the west than in the east.

"There is much criticism in the west of the government's failure to go ahead with its own building operations. In many localities federal buildings, for which sites, plans and appropriations were made before the war, are held up because the original appropriation is not high enough to cover the increased cost of construction and additional money has not been granted.

NEW ORLEANS LEADING.

New Orleans, says Mr. Teague, shows more building activities than any city he visited. The city is spending $14,000,000 on the municipal docks, employing more than 10,000 men.

South Bend, Ind., is developing a model industrial residence section giving homes to 12,000 new employes

# Local Notices

PUBLIC DANCE.
New England Hall, Wed. night.

of the Studebaker corporation, which is to build a new $8,000,000 factory.

Other important building projects reported by Teague are:

Newark, N. J.—$3,000,000 department store by J. L. Bamberger.

Kansas City, Mo.—$2,000,000 interurban station.

Sioux City, Ia.—$2,000,000 grain elevators for the Terminal Grain corporation.

Milwaukee—$1,000,000 apartment hotel, $750,000 hotel and $250,000 department store.

Allentown, Pa.—$500,000 office building and theater.

Detroit, Mich.—$350,000 department store.

Cleveland, O.—$300,000 store and theater building.

New Haven, Conn.—$300,000 addition to Grace hospital.

Evanston, Ill.—$250,000 hospital.

Chicago—$1,500,000 railway station.

Portland, Ore.—$500,000 stadium and livestock pavilion.

The Department of Labor's Division of Public Works and Construction Development reports that approximately $100,000,000 in private building contracts were reported to it in February. The total of the January contracts was only half that sum.

WORK INCREASING.

Nearly all the state showed an increase from week to week during last month in private construction work. The New England states, for instance, in the first week of February reported contracts awarded to the amount of $330,000; in the second week, $550,000; third week, $600,000, and fourth week, $700,000. Of this construction 22 per cent was of an industrial character, 32 per cent business, and 46 per cent residential.

New England's showing, however, is far behind that of the western states. Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, Indiana, Michigan, Missouri and Kansas shows a five-fold increase in February over January. In this district the figures are: First week in February, $15,000,000; second week, $9,000,000; third week, $46,000,000; fourth week, $50,000,000.

In the middle west 91½ per cent. of the construction contracts for February were for private construction, 8 per cent state and municipal work and ½ per cent. government construction.

New York and New Jersey also show important increases in February, and in these two states residential building made up only 10 per cent of the total. Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania also show a slight improvement over the January figures, and 38 per cent of the total was for residences.

Minnesota and the Dakotas reported contracts of about $1,000,000 as against $500,000 for January.

These facts show that the hesitancy about starting construction projects because of the high cost of materials is apparently being overcome all over the country.

## SHORT NEWS FROM SULLIVAN

Sullivan, March 17—Perry Bland, left Sunday for Bridgeport, Conn., to inspect the machinery which is to be placed in the hair pin factory at Gatesburg. Mr. Bland has been selling stock for the plant. Bland also expects to go to Massachusetts to look after some material which will be used in the manufacture of the hair pins.

It will be remembered that Emory Creech and Bland invented the hair pin some time ago. They were supposed to have their machinery last fall but it was impossible to get it in time to start the factory then.

The tax books of Moultrie county close on personal taxes Thursday. Three hundred persons have not yet paid their personal tax.

Chrystal Chapter No. 39 Order of Eastern Star will hold a meeting on Tuesday evening of this week.

More property has been sold in this city. David Ball former agent for the Wabash railroad here has sold his residence property to Miss Mary Patterson. David Cummins has sold his residence property on East Jefferson street to E. A. Collins and in turn has purchased the John Bolin property on North Worth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Wright and Mrs. Frank B. Smith of Decatur spent Sunday in Findlay.

## AIRPLANE WRECKED LANDING AT PANA

**Officers From Scott Field Have Miraculous Escape When Their Machine Is Smashed.**

Pana, March 17.—Major Henry Abbey and his machinist, Sergeant Hancock, both from the Scott aviation field at Belleville, had a narrow escape from death here late Friday afternoon when the airplane in which they were riding was wrecked in an attempt to land on the Andreas farm.

Major Abbey had difficulty in locating a landing place and mistaking the Andreas field for the Nadenbusch field, the official landing place, he alighted there and the machine stuck in the mud. In attempting to "get out of the mud" after he discovered his mistake Major Abbey lost control of the machine and it was driven into a fence. The plane was shipped to Belleville Sunday.

## From The People

**Mayor Dinneen's Record.**

Decatur, March 16th, 1919.

Editor Review:

It is rumored that Mayor Dinneen entered the service of the Wabash R. R. Co. during the strike of 1894 and that this rumor is being used to defeat him for re-election as mayor. This rumor is without any foundation. Mayor Dinneen did not enter the service of the Wabash R. R. either as engineer or fireman while that strike was on.

This statement is not made for political purpose, but simply to correct a wrong impression.

Respectfully,
J. W. KNOWLTON,
WILLIAM ANDERSON,
J. W. BARTHOLOMEW,
A. H. COOVER,
CHARLES S. DEARDORFF,
J. O. BURG.

# ELEVEN MILLION GRAVES IN EUROPE

## Rev. C. R. Booth Preaches on the Rebuilding.

In the St. Paul's Methodist church Sunday evening, Rev. C. R. Booth took for his subject "The Rebuilding of Europe. He said in part.

"This is the largest task the world ever had. It is heart breaking. 11,000,000 graves make many sections of Europe look like a cemetery. After the tornado of war, many homes and hopes are gone. A new Europe must be built, not on secret diplomacy and oppressive autocracies, but upon Christian Brotherhood. We must have new men to make a new mind, new ideals and a new faith for Europe. Europe must have a free Protestant church along side the free schools. Methodism occupies a strategic position in many important centers in Europe and is the only protestant denomination in everyone of the war-ridden countries. Three countries of Continental Europe are offering opportunities for service of striking character, Russia, France and Italy.

"Great disturbances have taken place in Russia within the last two years. As result of blind brutal tyranny the Russian people were unprepared for democracy. They must have the foundation of freedom before a real republic can be built. And France—what a debt we owe to her. We wonder if we shall ever appreciate what France has done for us. We owe her our best. And in Italy there is a growing favor for a free evangelical church. And what shall we say of Serbia, Roumania, Bulgaria, and last but not least Germany?

"When a vision of poor, torn, bleeding Europe comes to our minds, we are ashamed that we have not done more. Thankful for past victories, we say with determination, we will finish the task so well begun, and like the good Samaritan will give and pour in the oil to heal the wounds."

## CHARGED WITH DISTURBING PEACE

Stella Chaney, 1570 North Railroad, arrested on a charge of disturbing the peace on complaint of Eva Buck, pleaded not guilty Monday before Justice H. C. Noble and gave bond in the sum of $100 for trial next Thursday afternoon.

# HIGH MASS AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

## Service Held For St. Patrick's Day.

Monday was St. Patrick's day and it was observed in St. Patrick's Catholic church with a high mass at 8 o'clock. Considering weather conditions, there was a large attendance for the service. While green ribbons or shamrocks were not so much in evidence, yet quite a number of green carnations were worn.

## SPECIAL MEETING AT CONGREGATIONAL

The members of the Congregational church will have a special meeting at the church Wednesday evening on the "Work of the Church in the Community."

Friday afternoon at 2:30 the committees of the Ladies' Aid will report on the plans for the meeting of the State Missionary society the first week in April. The Ladies' Aid will have a bakery sale at the Parlor Market on Saturday.

The parents and friends of the Sunday school pupils are especially invited to attend the Sunday school services Sunday morning.

FREE METHODIST.

The services of the Free Methodist church were well attended on Sunday. There were six confessions during the day.

There will be revival services at the Owens chapel every night this week.

Wednesday evening at the King street church, there will be prayer service.

RIVERSIDE BAPTIST.

Rev. Irving Fox will give a chalk talk to the children of the Riverside Baptist church on Monday at 7.30 p. m. at the home of Ralph Severns, 1231 East Dickerson avenue.

The officers of the Sunday school will meet Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. at the church.

Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. prayer meeting will be held.

The Missionary study class will meet at the home of Miss Rita Morgan, 1125 Roger avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The subject for the meeting will be "The Women of the Orient."

The cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Becker, 741 East Cleveland avenue, Friday evening at 7.30 p. m.

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST.

The subject for the meeting of the mid-week study class of the Central Church of Christ on Wednesday evening will be "Political Interest of the Hebrew People."

Representatives of the Women's Board of Missions of all the Macon County Churches of Christ will have an all day meeting at the Y. W. C. A. on Friday.

TRINITY METHODIST.

The regular prayer meeting of the Trinity Methodist church will be held Wednesday night at 7:30.

The choir will practice on Friday evening.

ENGLISH LUTHERAN.

The mid-week Lenten services of the English Lutheran church will be held Wednesday at 7.45 p. m.

The Willing Workers will meet Thursday at 3 o'clock.

Thursday at 7.30, the adult catechism class will meet.

The two children's classes will meet at 10 and 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

FIRST UNITED BRETHREN.

The First United Brethren church will have prayer meeting at 7.30 Wednesday evening.

The choir will practice at 7:30 Friday night.

The Christian Endeavor society will have a social Monday evening.

The Young Men's Bible class of the First United Brethren church will meet at the home of Rev. E. H. Shuey, 317 West Eldorado street, Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. for the purpose of organizing. After the business meeting a social hour will be enjoyed.

THIRD UNITED BRETHREN.

The brotherhood of the Third United Brethren church will meet Tuesday night at the church.

The prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednesday evening will be followed by an official board meeting.

The Ladies' Aid will have an all day quilting at the church Thursday.

The Christian Endeavor society will have a business meeting Friday evening at the home of William Harry, 1021 North Lowber street.

## DR. LAHNERS HAS LOCATED IN CITY

**Physician was Recently Discharged From U. S. Service.**

Dr. Thomas Lahners, formerly of Chicago, has moved to Decatur and opened an office at 203 Citizens Title and Trust company. Mr. Lahners was recently released from the U. S. service where he served as an officer in the medical department. He is residing at 456 East Grand avenue. Dr. Lahners is a cousin of William Lahners, general yard master of the Wabash at Decatur.

## YOUNG KOREANS STIRRING TROUBLE

(By Associated Press.)

Pekin, March 14—Advices reaching this city from Korea indicate that the younger generation there has been stirred by Paris dispatches telling of the prominence given at Paris to the principle of determination of peoples. Japanese papers received here charge mission schools students with participating in disturbances throughout Korea.

Reports are being circulated by the Koreans that the death of former Emperor Yi Heui was due to suicide which was committed as a protest against the project majority to the heir to the Korean throne complete success. The impression prevails that lack of arms will prevent a serious insurrectionary movement.

The Japanese are forbidding the Koreans to own weapons except fowling pieces. American business interests have reported an unrest among laborers, especially in the mines. American missionaries are said to be observing Japanese laws scrupulously and refraining from any participating in political movements.

## *ROUT ZAPATISTAS FROM MEXICAN STATE*

Mexico City, Saturday, March 15.—The state of Morelos just south of this city, is completely under the control of government troops after being over-run for 10 years by bands, commanded by Emiliano Zapata. A campaign conducted by Gen. Pablo Gonzales, commander of the government forces, has been successful. Zapata and a few hundred followers being driven into the almost impassable mountains near Puenta De Ixtla, on the boundary between Mexico and Guerrero. His capture, with that of his chief lieutenants is expected any day.

An opportunity to confirm the government's announcement that Morelos has been pacified has been afforded the correspondent of The Associated Press who has just completed a journey through a large part of the state including all of Zapata's former stronghold.

## TWO FLYERS KILLED IN TEXAS FLIGHT

Houston, Texas, March 17.—Lieutenants Robert E. Morsbach and O. D. Davidson of the Ellington Field aviation personnel were killed Sunday night near Richmond, their plane crashing to the ground as they were nearing the end of a flight from Kelly Field, San Antonio.

Lieut. Morsbach who was piloting the plane, was from Durand, Wis., and Davidson was from Omaha.

The cause of the crash is being investigated by an official board from Ellington Field and as yet has not been announced.

## STORM DAMAGE AT MT. PULASKI

Mt. Pulaski, March 17.—A hard rain and electrical storm swept over Mt. Pulaski and vicinity Friday night. Several inches of rain fell, most of it in two hours.

Sewers overflowed, streets and lawns washed in holes and gullys. South of town there was more wind and hail and much damage was done to out buildings.

The rain continued through-out Saturday and Sunday morning and Salt Creek and Lake Fork near town are out of their banks.

TOLONO.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Filer and son Warren will move to one of the C. L. McHarry farms in a few days.

Miss Pearl Christy of near Bement spent several days last week with Mrs. James Burroughs and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shields have moved to Champaign where he has accepted a position at the I. C. station.

Mrs. Bertha Campbell and Mrs. Gurd Frampton spent last week with relatives in Champaign.

Byron Burns, Sr., of Danville spent several days here last week.

Frank Carley who came here to settle the estate of Mrs. Kate Carley has returned to his home at Des Moines, Ia.

Mrs. Philip Gorman and son of Champaign spent Wednesday here with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Catherine Gorman.

Perry Gates of Hayes, spent Friday night with his son, L. O. Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Zollman of Danville are spending some time at the home of Mrs. Sara Birks.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Lynch have moved to Champaign.

Miss Laura Bond has been at her home in Pana this week. Mrs. E. T. Albrecht has been teaching Miss Bond's room in the public school here.

William Mulligan, who spent the last two weeks in Chicago has returned home.

Mrs. Susan Davidson has been ill for several days with the "flu" at the home of Mrs. Kate Lefever.

Miss Lucy Lyons who has been at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. E. Carney at Villa Grove, was expected to come here for a visit, but was called to her home at Kansas City, Kans., by the illness of her sister, Miss Julia Lyons.

## WILL ENTERTAIN D. H. S. TEACHERS

**Miss Verl Freyburger and Miss Leah Fullenwider are Hostesses.**

Miss Verl Freyburger and Miss Leah Fullenwider will entertain a number of high school teachers at Miss Freyburger's home, 1341 North Edward this evening. It is to be a St. Patrick's day party and every thing will be green including the decorations and refreshments.

**His Diamond is Still Missing.**

Nich Charas, a candymaker at the Princess confectionery on North Water street, lost a $40 diamond in some taffy that he was making Saturday. The diamond was in a ring. While working the taffy, he noticed the stone had dropped out of the ring and was sure it was in the candy. He was hoping that some one would discover the stone when they were eating the candy and return it to him but so far has not heard from it. Most of the batch of candy was sold Saturday.

## How are the Roads?

Pana—Roads very muddy as result of recent rain.

Mt. Pulaski—Roads are very muddy.

Tuscola—Roads muddy from Saturday night's heavy rain.

Sullivan—The roads are in a very muddy condition here.

# MARKETS

## CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Ware & Leland.)

Chicago, March 17.—Following is range of prices with yesterday's close:

| CORN— | Open | | High | Low | Close | Yes. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mar | 140½@ | .... | 153½ | 140½ | 153½ | 147⅞ |
| May | 139½@140½ | | 143 | 139½ | 142 | 138¾ |
| July | 134 @135½ | | 136½ | 134 | 135½ | 132½ |
| Sept | 130½@131 | | 131½ | 130 | 130½ | 127½ |
| OATS— | | | | | | |
| Mar | 61 @ | .... | 63¼ | 62½ | 62¾ | 61 |
| May | 63¼@ | 63½ | 64½ | 63½ | 63½ | 62¼ |
| July | 62½@ | .... | 63½ | 62½ | 62½ | 62 |
| Sept | 59½@ | .... | 60½ | 60 | 59½ | 58½ |
| PORK— | | | | | | |
| May | 4570@ | .... | 4575 | 4535 | 4575 | 4475 |
| July | 4270@ | .... | 4270 | 4260 | 4270 | 4170 |
| LARD— | | | | | | |
| May | 2755@ | .... | .... | .... | 2775 | 2705 |
| July | 2710@ | .... | 2710 | 2707 | 2710 | 2660 |
| RIBS— | | | | | | |
| May | 2510@ | .... | .... | 2517 | 2507 | 2467 |
| July | 2385@ | .... | 2387 | 2377 | 2387 | 2337 |

## MARKET GOSSIP

### Cotton Futures.

New York, March 17.—Cotton futures opened steady; May old, $23.55; New, $24.02; July, old, $22.55; new, $23.55; October, old $21.07; new $22.02; December, old $22.10; new, $21.00; January, old, $22.00; new, $21.87.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

| Receipts— | Today | Yr. Ago |
|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 624,000 | 111,000 |
| Corn | 642,000 | 2,806,000 |
| Oats | 570,000 | 1,040,000 |
| Shipments— | | |
| Wheat | 390,000 | 155,000 |
| Corn | 46,000 | 1,204,000 |
| Oats | 650,000 | 881,000 |

INSPECTED CARS.

Chicago, March 17.—Inspected cars, Wheat, 22, Corn, 101; Oats, 45.

CHICAGO CARS.

| | Rcts. | Cont. | Estd. | Ago |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 20 | 2 | 20 | 4 |
| Corn | 83 | 6 | 80 | 257 |
| Oats | 63 | 55 | 63 | 102 |

VISIBLE SUPPLY.

U. S. Total Total visible supply:

| | | Year Ago |
|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 111,882,000 vs. | 7,750,000 |
| Corn | 8,874,000 vs. | 12,757,000 |
| Oats | 36,844,000 vs. | 17,108,000 |

LONDON SILVER.

London, March 17.—Money 3¼ per cent.

## LIVE STOCK

### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 17.—(U. S. Bureau of Markets)—HOGS — Receipts 42,000 head; left over 2,052 head; market opening slow; first sales mostly steady with Saturday's average, $19.50 paid; quality fairly good; Average cost Saturday $19.25.

CATTLE—Receipts 18,000 head.

SHEEP—Receipts 19,000 head.

### Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, March 17.—HOGS—Receipts 15,000 head, market higher; bulk of sales $18.25@18.85; heavy, $18.65@18.85; Packers and butchers $18.60@19.00; lights $18.00@18.80; pigs, $15.50@18.25.

CATTLE—12,000 head; market higher, prime fed steers, $18.00@19.00, dressed beef steers, $12.00@18.00; calves, $10.00@11.50.

SHEEP—11,000 head; market steady; lambs, $19.50@19.75; yearlings, $17.50@17.75; wethers, $14.50@15.00, ewes, $13.50@14.25.

### Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, O., March 17.—(Bower and Bower Report)—HOGS—Receipts 3500 head; market lower; good weight hogs $19.50@20.00; yorkers, $19.50@20.00; pigs, $18.00.

CALVES—$19.00.

LAMBS—$18.50@19.25.

CATTLE—Receipts 1200 head; market lower $5.50@15.50.

### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 17.—(U. S. Bureau of Markets)—HOGS—Receipts 12,000 head; market very uneven but more active than early, and averaging mostly steady with Saturday's general trade; Bulk of sales, $19.10@19.35; heavy weight $19.30@19.55; medium weight $19.15@19.35; light weight $18.60@19.20; light, $17.25@18.50; sows $17.25@18.75; pigs, $10.50@17.50.

CATTLE—Receipts 18,000 head; market good and choice beef steers and butchers stock strong 15 cents higher; Stockers and feeders steady; calves 50 cents lower; heavy beef steers $12.00@12.35; light beef steers $10.00@18.75; butcher cows and heifers $7.40@15.50. Canners and cutters $6.00@10.75; veal calves $12.00@17.50. Stocker and feeder steers $8.25@15.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 19,000 head; market generally steady; best lambs held higher. Lambs: 84 pounds or less $18.05@20.25, 85 pounds or better $18.25@20.15; cutters and common $15.25@18.00, ewes, medium to choice $11.50@14.50; cutters and common $6.00@11.25.

### Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, March 17. — HOGS—4,000 head; market generally, 40 cents lower; heavy, $19.50@19.65, light $19.35@19.45; pigs, $18.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 1,000 head; market strong.

SHEEP—100 steady.

### St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Mo., March 17.—HOGS—18,700 head; market lower; lights $18.80@19.40 pigs, $15.00@17.75; mixed, and butchers $19.00@19.50; good heavy $19.40@19.60; bulk $19.00@19.50.

CATTLE—Receipts 5,500 head; market steady; native beef steers, $11.50@18.50; yearling steers and heifers $9.50@18.00; cows $10.50@13.50; stockers and feeders $10.00@13.50; calves $7.75@18.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 800 head; market steady; lambs $19.40@19.75; ewes, $12.00@13.00.

HORSES AND MULES.

East St. Louis, March 17.—HORSES—eastern chunks $150@180; southern horses choice $110@120.

MULES—16 to 16½ hands $200@325, 15 to 15½ hands $140@225; 14 to 14½ hands; $90@135.

## PRODUCE

### Chicago Produce.

Chicago, March 17.—BUTTER—Higher creamery 53c@60c.

EGGS—Lower, receipts 14,332 cases; firsts 38½@38¾c; ordinary firsts 37½@38 cents at mark cases included 37½@38½c.

POTATOES — Steady; receipts 82 cars; Wisconsin and Michigan $5c@$1.75; Minnesota $1.75@1.80.

POULTRY— Alive, higher springs, 31c; fowls, 31c.

### New York Produce.

New York, March 17.—BUTTER—Firm; receipts 6,745. Creamery higher than extras 63½@64; creamery extras, 63; firsts 59½c@62½. Packing stock current make No. 2, 39½c@40.

EGGS—Firm; receipts 17,017; fresh gathered extras 43½@44; fresh gathered firsts northern section 41½@42½c; fresh gathered firsts central southern 41c@42.

CHEESE — Firm; receipts 1,823; state whole milk flats current make special 32½c@33; ditto average run 32@32½.

LIVE POULTRY—Weak; chickens, 32; fowls, 35c@36; old roosters 30c; turkeys 32c@40. Dressed quiet; chickens frozen 34c@38; fowls frozen 20c@30; fresh 30c@38c; old roosters frozen 25c@27c; turkeys frozen, 39c@45c.

### St. Louis Produce.

St. Louis, March 17.—POULTRY Hens, 29c, springs, 32c; turkeys, 35c; ducks, 30c; geese, 18c. Butter creamery 60c; eggs, 38c.

### New York Sugar.

New York, March 17.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal $7.28; refined steady; cut loaf $10.50; crushed $10.25; Mould A $9.50; cubes, $9.75; X X X X powdered $9.20 powdered $9.15; fine granulated and diamond A $9.00; confectioners A $9.00; No. 1 $8.85.

## GRAIN

### Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, March 17.—CORN—2c@6c higher; No. 3 yellow $1.50; No. 4 yellow $1.45; No. 5 yellow $1.42; No. 3 mixed $1.45; No. 4 mixed $1.43@1.43½; No. 5 mixed $1.42; No. 6 mixed $1.39; sample $1.32@1.37.

OATS—½c higher; No. 3 white 63c; standard 63½c.

### St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, March 17.CORN—No. 4, $1.48; No. 2 white, $1.48½@1.49.

OATS—No. 3 white 65½@66.

### Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, March 17.—CORN—No. 3 yellow $1.57; No. 4 yellow, $1.49@1.52; No 5 yellow $1.47@1.49.

OATS—No. 3 white 63½@64; standard 63½@64½.

RYE—No. 2 1.50½@1.51½.

BARLEY—90c@97c.

TIMOTHY—$7.00@10.00.

CLOVER—Nominal.

PORK—Nominal.

LARD—$27.70.

RIBS—Nominal.

### Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, March 17. — CLOVER SEED—Prime cash, $27.25; March $27.25; April $22.30; October, $17.00.

ALSIKE — Prime cash, $19.75; March $19.75.

TIMOTHY—Prime cash old, $4.00; new, $4.07½; March $4.07½; April $4.97½; May $4.02½; September $5.55; October $5.40.

# WET WEATHER SENDS CORN VALUES UP

Chicago, March 17—Wet weather and prospective increased demand for food supplies owing to the provisioning arrangement with Germany led to sharp advances today in the corn market here. May delivery ascended to within a fraction of the highest level yet this season. Houses with eastern connections were especially active buyers. Opening quotations, which ranged from 1¼ cents to 4¼c up with May $1.39½ to $1.40½ and July $1.34 to $1.35½, were followed by additional gains and then a moderate re-action.

Later, both May and March touched new higher records for the season. Wet weather delay to farm work and to the crop movement had a decided bullish influence. The close was strong, 2⅞ to 5¾ net higher, with May 1.42 to 1.42¼ and July 1.35⅝ to 1.35½.

Strength in the grain market tended to prevent any important re-action.

Oats took the same path as corn. After opening ¾c to ⅞c higher with May 63½ to 63¾c the market scored a further upturn.

Provisions jumped to the maximum limit. Enlarged business with import was looked for.

## STOCK ISSUES ON DECLINE

New York, March 17.—Tendencies became more uncertain later on the stock exchange, price-movements becoming mixed on further selling of high grade industrials, especially United States steel, which was offered in lots as large as 5,000 shares down to 94¾. Shippings, leather and motors developed further erratic characteristics and oils yielded 1 to 2 points of their advance. Partial rallies followed renewed buying of oils and low priced motors, trading diminishing on the irregular rebound. Another break in French exchange was accompanied by heaviness of Paris 6's but Liberty bonds held steady.

## THOMAS JACKSON DIES AT MOWEAQUA

Moweaqua, March 17.—Thomas Edward Jackson, aged 63 years, died early Sunday morning, at the home of his daughter Mrs. John Prescott northwest of Moweaqua. He had been afflicted for some time with stomach trouble.

Mr. Jackson had been twice married and both wives preceded him in death, as did one child. He is survived by six children. Thomas and Bert Jackson and Mrs. John Prescott of Moweaqua, George and Homer of Decatur and Rev. Elmer Jackson of Bolivar, Mo. Mr. Jackson was a member of the Baptist church.

No funeral arrangements have been made awaiting the coming of two brothers. He will be buried in Pana, beside the first wife.

Roy Evans of Decatur spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans.

GUY LAMB DIES.

The body of Guy Lamb, aged 30, son of Mrs. Mollie Lamb was brought here Sunday noon from his home in Patoka. He was ill only a week. Besides his aged mother, he leaves a wife and five young children and a brother, Ollie Lamb of Oconee and one sister, Mrs. Henry Hamer of Moweaqua. About two years ago he left here and purchased a small farm near Patoka. A service was held at the cemetery conducted by Rev J. H. Gomer of the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dickerson of Decatur spent the week-end in the Stine home.

Archie Crain left Sunday to visit his sister Mrs. John Workman in Canada, after which he will enter a Mechanic's school in Detroit, Mich.


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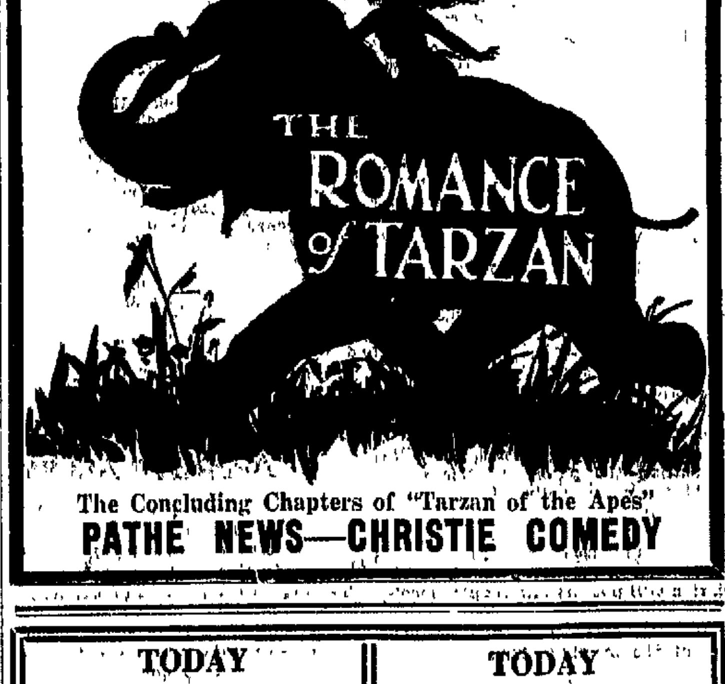


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# $400,000 COLLECTED ON FINAL DAY

### Decatur's Income Tax Total is Large—Many Questions Are Answered.

Income tax collections in Decatur last Saturday, the last day for paying, amounted to over $400,000. A total of 260 reports were filed, about ninety percent of which were the 1040-A blanks for incomes under $4000. While Deputy Collector Schwartz could not say, it is understood that at least one big corporation here furnished the greater part of the Saturday payment.

A few stragglers were in to file Monday. Some of those were delinquents and some were those who had permission for an extension of time. In the case of delinquents, Mr. Schwartz has received instructions to not collect the penalty and to not even tell the taxpayer that there would nor would not be a penalty but to tell him that he was liable for a penalty and that as one was to be assessed, the taxpayer would receive a notice later.

MANY QUESTIONS

Many funny and foolish questions were asked of the deput collectors by those making returns, especially in regard to exemptions. One railroad conductor came in to file a report but to argue more than anything else. He had made over $2000 for the year but being married and having children, he was exempt from paying taxes, having a $2000 exemption given all married men for living expenses and $200 each for children.

"Now here" he started off, "I pay Mr.—— a certain amount of rent each month. When he files his report and pays taxes, he has to pay a tax on that money I pay him, doesn't he. And then I have to include that same money in my report and if I was liable for tax, would have to pay tax on it too. It kind of looks to me like the government was doubling up on us."

EXEMPTION ALLOWED

It was explained to him that the $2,000 exemption given married men was allowed just for that purpose, to cover a man's rent, grocery bill and the like, so that he wouldn't be paying taxes on it. But it was too far off for him to see and he felt that there should be fur her exemption for the amount of rent, grocery bill and such and that the $2000 exemption should be a sort of Christmas present. It was put up to him as being the fairest way for exemptions and the following example cited him:

"Suppose no $2000 exemption or no exemption at all was stated other than that a married man should take out his rent and grocery bill. Smith and Jones work together and draw exactly the same amount of pay during the year, perhaps $2000. Smith is a saving man and gets along on $15 a month rent and a $30 grocery bill. Jones wants to spend his money living, so he rents a nice home at $50 a month and runs up a grocery bill of $60 a month. At the end of the year, Smith would have only $540 exemption and would have to pay tax on $1460 while Jones, the high liver, would have $1320 exemption and would have to pay tax on only $680, although he received just as much as Smith.

Still the local man didn't see it and the deputy collector gave it up as a bad job.

# DAVID S. PRIEST DIES AT HOSPITAL

### Was 65 Years Old in January.

David Strohm Priest of 1802 North Broadway died at 3:50 o'clock Monday morning at the Decatur and Macon county hospital. He was sixty-five years old in January. His death was due to a complication of diseases with which he had suffered for more than a year.

Mr. Priest was born at Plainfield, Penn., Jan. 28, 1854. He was the son of George and Catherine Strohm Priest.

Mr. Priest and Miss Emmna J. McKenzie were married Sept. 23, 1875. Mrs. Priest died Sept. 28, 1902, leaving two children, Mrs. Nota C. Shepherd and Edgar M. Priest. On June 30, 1907, Mr. Priest married Miss Nellie E. Hubbard, and she with the two children survive him. Mr. Priest also leaves two brothes and two sistes, George E. Priest of Clay Center, Kan.; W. A. Priest of Texas, and Mrs. J. F. Holliday and Miss Alice Priest of Decatur. He was a member of the First Methodist church and had many friends.

The body was removed to the Dawson undertaking establishment and prepared for burial, but no arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

# ROTARIANS TO ATTEND CONVENTION

### Session Will Be Held at Joliet April 11-12.

## CHEERS FOR LOGAN

### Large Attendance of Members at Meeting.

Rain has no terrors for members of the Rotary club evidently, as there was an unusually large attendance at noon Monday at the regular every other week luncheon at the Y. M. C. A. Two extra tables were put in, after the members sat down, for the late comers. The roast beef prepared for the luncheon had been exhausted by that time, but Rotarian Bill Duerr was equal to the emergency and promptly jumped up liver and bacon for the late arrivals, who agreed with Duerr that it was better than roast beef.

Announcement was made of a district convention to be held at Joliet April 11-12. Members of all the clubs in Illinois are expected to attend this. Announcement was also made of the International association convention that will be held at Salt Lake City the last week in June. A committee to give information to the members and take reservations for those who will attend these two meetings was appointed. It consists of W. C. Starr, Fred M. Dickinson, and John McEvoy.

CHEERS FOR LOGAN.

C. H. Logan, member of the club who has not been present for ten weeks, was there for the first time after a serious illness. Three rousing cheers for him were given, Porter Millikin acting as cheer leader.

Dr. C. E. Jenney, member of the club, was also present after a long absence. It was his first meeting since his return from France. He spoke for about five minutes in a general way about France and the people. It was announced when Dr. Jenney was presented to the club that he woud speak more at length at a later session.

JOE RIGGS SPEAKS.

Joe Riggs, who attended a meeting of the Rotary club at Manchester, England, told about the Manchester club's meetings and about the way he was entertained in the home of a prominent Manchester business man. English Rotarians, during the war, made a practice of receiving as their guests for a week at a time members of the American Expeditionary forces. The whole week these young men were honored guests of these English families, who showed them the city and other points of interest.

PLANS OF MASONS.

Owen Scott was called on to tell about a trip to Washington he made three weeks ago. He went there as a representative of the Grand Lodge of Masons of Illinois to attend a meeting of similar representatives from every state in the union to consider plans for raising a fund of $1,000,000 to build a memorial to George Washington near the city of Washington. Alexandria, Va., lodge No. 22, has the distinction of having been presided over by George Washington, who was its worshipful master. While in that position Washington laid the cornerstone of the capitol at Washington. The trowel that he used, pictures, chairs, and many other relics are now in the lodge room at Alexandria. It is proposed to put up a million dollar fire proof building that will be the memorial of the Masons of America.

The speaker closed by saying that by next Feb. 22 work would be well under way on its building. The fund is being raised by the Masons of the United States.

# AMBULANCE HIT BY STREET CAR

### Accident at Corner of Main and North.

## PATIENT SHAKEN UP

### W. L. Wiseman Has Narrow Escape in Crash.

Slippery rails and a slippery pavement caused what came near being a serious accident at the intersection of Main and North streets about 11 o'clock Monday morning. The Wabash hospital ambulance, driven by James Webb, was struck by a Union Depot car and one of the rear wheels of the ambulance was smashed.

The ambulance was going north on Main street and the street car was just about to make the turn from North street into Main street. The ambulance driver and the motorman saw each other at about the same time. The ambulance driver tried to turn out to the west and avoid the car but his rear wheels skidded around and the rear of the ambulance smashed into the front of the car.

WAS SHAKEN UP.

W. L. Wiseman, a patient at the Wabash hospital, was in the ambulance at the time. He was on his way from a physician's office in the business section back to the hospital. He had his clothing on and was sitting in the ambulance when the smash came. He was badly shaken up and bruised. His neck was wrenched and his knee injured. His hurts were not serious, however.

DANGEROUS CORNER.

The Main and North streets intersection is a dangerous one at any time and particularly when the streets are wet and slippery. There have been several narrow escapes from accidents on that corner because of the turn which the street cars make. If every street car was made to come to a full stop just before it makes the turn on the corner, the danger would probably be lessoned to a considerable degree.

# CHANGES IN VOTING PLACES

### New List is Prepared by Town Board.

A number of changes in voting places in the township precincts for the approaching township election on April 1, have been made by the town board. The revised list as it will be April 1, follows:

1—Soin's store, 439 E. North St.
2—Dayton's shop, 220 E. Eldorado St.
3—Furniture store, 802 N. Water St.
4—Barnhart's Bldg., 1057 N. Water St.
5—Rear of Strouse's store, 1102 N. Water Street.
6—Bond building, 630 E. Center St.
7—Cannon's store, 1030N. Broadway.
8—Buckle's Garage, rear 1720 N. Union St.
9—Blanchard's Barber shop 1570 N. Water Street.
10—Gebhart block, 1130 N. Water St.
11—Collier's Garage, 520 W. Marietta St.
12—Hartley's Gallery, 117 West King St.
13—Pluck's store, 417 N. Main St.
14—Zimmerman's shop, 337 N. Main St.
15—Wykoff's store, 557 W. Wood St.
16—Carlisles' store, 540 Greenwood Ave.
17—Kizer's store, 443 S. Sigel St.
18—Pitner's garage, 200 S. Cren St.
19—Morris' garage, Pine and North St.
20—Crouch shoe store, 915 N. Monroe St.
21—Pugh school.
22—P. C. Frees' residence, 1573 N. Gulick Avenue.
23—Brown's garage, 1058 W. King.
24—Fairview Park garage.
25—Maxwell's store, 218 McClelland Ave.
26—Jones Building, 1540 N. Jasper.
27—Bain's grocery, 911 N. Lowber.
28—Higman's store, Grand Ave. & Illinois.
29—Ryan and Higgins bldg. 1216 E. Eldorado.
30—Kraft building, 905 E. Eldorado.
31—Cunningham's barber shop 622 E. Wood Street.
32—Hinton's store, 2030 E. William St.
33—John Sutter's barber shop, 201 S. Broadway.
34—Perry's store, 902 S. Webster St.
35—Clendenings' store, 901 S. Broadway.
36—Pitner's office, 126 E. Wood St.

# STUDENTS RAID I. T. S. NEWS STAND

### Springfield High School People Charged With Taking $150 Worth of Goods in Decatur.

A bunch of Springfield high school students to the number of about 150 stand a mightly good chance of having to stand trial in Decatur on a charge of larceny. The names are now being collected and warrants will probably be issued in a few days.

On their way back to Springfield from Champaign on the interurban their train stopped at Decatur a few minutes after 1 o'clock Sunday morning and young men and girls flocked off the cars and entered the I. T. S. news stand in the station.

HELPED THEMSELVES.

The girl in charge was unable to wait on them fast enough and they simply overran the place, helping themselves to whatever they wanted. They took candy, chewing gum, cigars and everything else that appealed to them and then hurried out to the cars and went on to Springfield. It is estimated that they got away with between $150 and $180 worth of goods they did not pay for.

GETTING NAMES.

The girl was kept busy waiting on the few who were willing to pay and she was not given time to notify the police until after the train had gone. It will not be a hard matter to get the names of those who chartered the special train and it is expected that the whole bunch will shortly pay another visit to Decatur under circumstances not quite so pleasant. The faculty of the Springfield high school will doubtless give the authorities assistance in rounding up the offenders.

MADE MUCH NOISE.

When the Springfield rooters passed through Decatur early Sunday morning they almost woke up the entire town with their hooting and yelling. They had taken second place in the state high school basketball tournament at Champaign and felt that they were entitled to yell. But in the case of the I. T. S. news stand they probably let their enthusiasm get the best of their judgment.

## *Scraps of News*

NEW "FLU" OUTBREAK.

A local physician warns people to still be careful and to watch out for influenza. He encountered four new cases on calls Sunday alone.

MOOSE SPEAKER.

Fred Brink, dictator of the Decatur Moose lodge, delivered an address at a big Moose initiation held at Springfield Sunday.

M'KINLEY COMES.

Congressman W. B. McKinley of Champaign is scheduled to deliver an address before members of the Midday Luncheon club at Springfield, Thursday. He will speak on legislative matters which will be up before the coming session of congress.

IS 49 TODAY.

Frank Smallwood is forty-nine years old today. He and St. Patrick were born on the same date.

REHEARSAL.

The Goodman band will meet for rehearsal this evening.

MUMPS.

Marcella Collins, 1156 North Main street, has the mumps.

TEACHERS MEET.

The North Central Association of Teachers meets in Chicago Thursday and Friday of this week. This association is made up of principals and superintendents of secondary schools of several states.

EASTERN TRIP.

Mrs. J. J. Caldwell and Mrs. W. A. Phares are planning to leave Thursday for Nashville, Tenn., to visit their daughters, Miss Esther Caldwell and Miss Nora Phares, who are at Ward-Belmont school.

OAKES WILL PROBATED.

The will of Mrs. Kate Oakes was filed for probate Monday morning. The hearing is set for April 12. The estate is left to the children. Frank R. Wiley is named executor.

# FEAR WASHOUTS ON THE RAILROADS

### All Rivers and Creeks are Out of Banks.

## WATER LAPS TRACK

### On the Wabash Near Logansport, Ind.

High water is threatening railroads all through Illinois and Indiana. Wabash trainmen arriving in Decatur reported that near Logansport, Ind., the water was lapping the rails of the main track when the train pulled through and was still rising. They expect to find the tracks under water on their return trip.

There has been some trouble on account of high water at Peru and Logansport and there is grave alarm over the outlook. The Wabash river is on a rampage at Peru and the river is out of its bank and is flowing through the streets of the town.

NEAR FORT WAYNE.

The most serious trouble is said to be at Roanoake, Ind., the first station west of Fort Wayne, where the railroad runs through a stretch of low land.

There has been no trouble on the Decatur division and none is immediately threatened.

Superintendent L. W. Karnes of the Springfield division who arrived in Decatur reported that all creeks and minor streams are out of their banks but that there have been no washouts.

ONE WASHOUT.

Trainmaster Ferritor, who came from Moberly last night, says that Moberly has thirty days' supply of water although it has rained much less there than in other sections of Missouri. Moberly has been having a water famine for three years. The Wabash had one washout in Missouri which caused an engine to turn over and the death of one man.

On the Indiana division of the Illinois Central between Decatur and Peoria some trouble from high water is reported but none of the details are known here.

# TELLS EXPERIENCES IN GAS DIVISION

### Elvin L. Goff Writes of Work in the East.

Elvin L. Goff, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marshall, 219 West Cerro Gordo street, made out an interesting report of his experiences for th Red Cross. He was a member of the Chemical Warfare Service, gas defense Division.

He was transferred from Jefferson barracks, where he obtained his preliminary training, to the camp near New York city known as the Chemical Warfare Service, Gas Defense Division, Astoria Light, Heat and Power Company. He says in part:

"This power plant had been a gas plant before the war. The government took control of it and has been using it for the purpose of making the different gases and masks used in modern warfare. The problem that thus presented itself was the development of a highly efficient gas mask absorbent and its production in sufficient quantity to meet the needs of the ever increasing American army in Europe.

"Of course, it would have been quixotic to expect that with no previous experience along these lines, the machinery could have run with absolute smoothness; but it is to the credit of the detachment along these lines that all the rough spots which had to be travelled over at the beginning were met successfully after many sleepless nights on the part of the officers and the substitution of weary soldiers and officers, begrimed from head to foot, for some obstinate machinery which refused to recognize the urgency of the demand which was being made on it for immediate production which simply had to be gotten out at a specific time. It was not particularly glorious work officers and men who had expected active service abroad, but they bore all the disagreeable work and all the disappointments with characteristic American patience and humor.

FOUR PLANTS.

"There are four plants in the company. Major Dewey, head of the Gas Defense Service, assigned officers to their immediate problems of production.

"It would be impossible to enumerate in detail the varied and intricate problems to which so much painstaking effort was given by both the officers and the men under the stimulus of the emergency many of whom could not but fret under the delay of the active service which they had expected and which was very slow in coming. A little drill in the afternoon was all that many were able to get in on account of slow transferring of the men to the Field Training station.

"A cantonment was built, in order to make the men feel more at home together and was ready for occupancy on Nov. 10, the day before the signing of the armistice. The men who served to bring about this activity will later look back with the satisfaction of necessary work accomplished, even if it were not accomplished with bayonet flashing, for this war has, after all, been an achievement in engineering."

Private Elvin Goff was discharged at Camp Grant, Ill., Feb. 22, 1919. He returned to his home in Decatur.

# OVER AN INCH OF RAIN FELL

### Wind and Lightning Does Some Damage.

Something over an inch of rain has fallen in Decatur since 7 o'clock Saturday night. The official records show .63 inch on Sunday and .35 inch up until noon Monday. But the slow rainfall kept up steadily Monday afternoon. The sewers had a good workout and the Sangamon river is out of its banks.

Wind and lightning did some damage on the I. T. S. lines Saturday night and Sunday morning. Nine poles went down west of Illiopolis and a number west of Bloomington. In addition, the lightning cracked many glass insulators on the poles and almost knocked out the service for some time.

# PLAN GATHERING AT H. B. DURFEE

### Community Session on Thursday Evening.

Plans are being made for the community gathering at the H. B. Durfee school Thursday evening. The plan is to have a program during the first part of the evening and it will be followed by games and a general good time. This is the same plan used in the last community gathering held at the school.

It is hoped to have such a gathering as this every month at the school for the purpose of promoting community interest. They are open not only to the mothers and fathers of the school but also to the patrons of the community who are not connected with the school.

## NEWS NOTES OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The fathers of the pupils of Lincoln school will entertain the Mothers' club Friday evening.

Miss Ruth Hostetler and Miss Lydia Marshall, teachers at the H. B. Durfee school, are both out this week. Mrs. Carmichael and Miss Dawson are taking their places.

The mothers' club of the Jasper school will meet Friday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Sullivan, fifth grade teacher at Warren, is back in school after a weeks absence.

The mothers' club of the Riverside school will meet Friday afternoon.

# BUYS 30 ACRES FOR NEW LAKE

### City Secures Tract Near Spangler Bridge.

Corporation Counsel W. J. Carey reported at Monday's meeting of the City Council that he had purchased for the city the File & Alexander tract of land near the Spangler bridge, thirty acres at $69 an acre, a total of $2,079. This land will be needed in the city's water impounding plans. That is the farthest land from the site of the dam that will be bought by the city at this time.

On motion of Commissioner Ruthrauff the report was accepted and the comptroller authorized to draw a warrant for the amount and the city clerk instructed to file the deed for record.

On motion of Commissioner John F. Mattes, John W. Carter was appointed a member of the engineers' examining board to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Swartz. The appointment was confirmed and the bond approved.

The excavation bond of Lunn & Funk, in the sum of $3,000, was filed and approved, on motion of Commissioner Becker.

# L. E. DILLEHUNT LEAVES M. AND W.

### Becomes Special Agent of Life Insurance Co.

Leslie E. Dillehunt has resigned his position at the Morehouse & Wells store to take effect on April 1. At that time he will take a position as special agent of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance company in Decatur, and will be associated with Allerton S. Freeman.

Mr. Dillehunt has been connected with the Morehouse & Wells company for the past nineteen or twenty years as a traveling salesman. He is also a stockholder in that concern. He is a son of B. W. Dillehunt of this city.

# FRANK STACY IS BACK IN DECATUR

### His Ship Was Attacked by a Submarine.

Frank Stacy, 330 North Main street, has returned home after receiving his honorable discharge from the service.

He enlisted in June, 1918, and was sent to Fort Casswell, N. C., for training. On Sept. 1, he was sent to Camp Eustis, Va., for coast artillery training. While there he was assigned to the 47th regiment of the Coast artillery. On Friday, Sept. 13 he sailed on the Italian ship, "Italia" from Newport News, Va. The Italian crew suffered from the influenza on the way over. It was necessary for twenty-five soldiers to take the places of firemen part of the way across. Their inexperience delayed the ship until it was about twelve hours behind the rest of the convoy. The morning before they got into the English channel, a submarine attacked the boat. The destroyer fired three times and they think destroyed the submarine.

LANDED IN BREST.

They landed in Brest on Sept. 26. From Brest they went to Augin Augonleme for further training in coast artillery. The 47th regiment remained at Augonleme until after the armistice was signed. From there they were moved to Bourg for the purpose of taking the regiment closer to a shipping point. They were stationed at Ambrose about six weeks, when they were sent to Junicarte for new equipment. Their old discarded outfits were thoroughly fumigated and given out to the next lot.

They embarked from Pouillac, Jan. 31 on the Madiwaski, a German ship that had been taken over by the United States. They arrived in Newport News, Feb. 15. From there they were sent to Camp Eustis where they were quarintined two weeks with the mumps. At Camp Eustis the 47th was split into groups and sent to points near their homes. Frank Stacy was sent with a group of casuals to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill. After one week there he was discharged.

Mr. Stacy unfortunately saw very little of France because the colonel of the 47th did not think furloughs were a good thing for his men.

# OPTOMETRISTS IN BIG MEETING

### W. W. Diederich of Kansas City Here.

W. W. Diederich, a member of the scientific staff of Merry's Optical company in Kansas city, Mo., will give a lecture to the Decatur Optometrists at the Y. M. C. A. Monday at 7:30 p. m. This meeting will be followed by a big meeting on Tuesday night. Between fifty and sixty members of the society are expected to attend the dinner to be held at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night. Plates will be 75 cents apiece.

Mr. Diederich's lecture will be on differential diagnosis and phoro-optometry. A complete modern refracting and dispensing room will be used for the demonstration.

Members of the optometrical society are being asked to write to their state representatives and senators asking them to vote for the new optometry bill, which is now up before the state legislature. Harry Paul, legislative chairman, will be present at the meeting in Decatur and will give an important address.

# ASKS COUNCIL FOR ASSISTANCE

### T. B. Davis Wants Money for Labor Bureau.

Thomas B. Davis of the federal labor employment office was before the city council Monday morning asking that the council make an appropriation to help keep the office open until June 30. It will take about $800, he said to run the office until that time. The council was not asked to appropriate the entire amount, but Mr. Davis suggested that the council and the Association of Commerce have a conference on the matter and each do what it can. He said the government was desirous of having the office kept open for the returning soldiers and sailors as well as employers, and Mr. Davis said that it was expected that Congress would make an appropriation for this purpose before June 30.

The matter was also before the board of supervisors, but because he could not tell at that time just how much money would be required the matter was laid on the table. If the council and Association of Commerce make an appropriation it is expected that the new board of supervisors will do the same. On motion of Commissioner Robbins the petition was referred to the council and corporation council as a committee of the whole to investigate and report.

# BINOCULARS ARE BEING RETURNED

### Decatur People Who Loaned Them are Getting Them Back.

Not all of the binoculars, sextants and things loaned the army and navy by local people, have been sent back to them yet, but they are coming in gradually. One man received his glasses back shortly after the armistice was signed.

Another received his sextant back Monday morning from the navy. It came in well packed and in good shape. Several hundred glasses were loaned from Decatur and this vicinity.

# LENTEN TALK MADE AT Y. W. C. A.

### First of Series at Y. W. C. A. Vesper Services.

The first of the series of Lenten talks was given at the vesper service at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon. This series will end with the Easter service. The subject at yesterday's meeting was "Prayer" and the leader was Mrs. Eugenie M. Bacon. Hostesses were girls from one of the First Methodist Sunday school classes and they served a splendid lunch. Special music included two solos by Hazel Hewitt. The meeting was well attended.

## Wedding's

SANDERS-BARRETT.

Isaac Sanders of Monticello and Minnie Barrett of Garrick, were married Monday morning at 11:30 by Judge James McCoy. Mr. Sanders is a farmer.

# BLAZE AT NO. 1 FIRE HOUSE

### High Tension Wire Crossed With Gamewell Wire.

No. 1 fire house staged a little fire of its own early Sunday morning. Evidently a high tension wire became crossed with one of the wires of the Gamewell fire alarm system. It caused the lightning arrester at the No. 1 station to burn out and it was finally necessary to cut off the wires. A little blaze started just above the big gong box on the alarm board. The chemical had to be used to extinguish the blaze.

The No. 1 apparatus also went out on a still alarm at 4:45 a. m. Sunday to the 300 block W. Main. A resident in the same block on West Wood reported that he saw a blaze on the roof of a house on West Main. The firemen went out and searched up and down the streets and alleys in the vicinity but found no fire.

## Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wall, 642 West Eldorado, Saturday, March 15, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Huston, 1353 North Main street, at Decatur and Macon County hospital, Monday, March 17, a daughter. She has been named Barbara Huston.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Washington Morey, 1803 Graceland avenue, Monday, March 17, a daughter.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Isaac Sanders, Monticello ............ 30
Minnie Barrett, Kerrick ............ 30

# "CLEANUP WEEK" AT HIGH SCHOOL

### Students to Keep Rooms and Corridors in Condition.

Plans are being made at the high school for "cleanup week" to be held this week. Robert Hilbrant, president of the D. H. S. Senior class, delivered an address at the auditorium period Monday morning in which he urged the students to join in the move and see that the corridors and rooms are kept spick and span on all occasions.

Each class in the high school has a "housekeeper," and it is the duty of that official to see that the rooms are in order after his class leaves. The housekeeping committee of the girls' council is back of the "cleanup" week plans.

## *People-U-Know*

Miss Pearl Bailey spent Sunday in Monticello with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Wagy.

E. E. Snyder and family left yesterday for St. Petersburg, Fla.

Miss Clara Knapp and Miss Miller left today for Hot Springs. They will go from there to New Orleans, thence to Biloxi and other points in the south. They are making a two weeks' trip.

Mrs. J. N. Randall left for California Sunday.

# J. A. GEVATOSKI RETURNS TO U. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Gevatoski, 1428 North Calhoun, received a telegram Friday from their son, First Class Sergeant J. A. Gevatoski, stating that he had arrived in New York and was going to Camp Mills. He has been overseas about a year and was with the 93rd Aero Squadron.

# RALPH SPARKS IN NEW YORK

### Decatur Boy Has Severe Attack of Mumps.

Ralph Sparks, son of Mrs. Etta Sparks, 320 West North street, is recovering from a severe attack of the mumps in a New York hospital. He was sent to France in September. He was stationed at Baugh while in France and did not see any active service.

He arrived in New York on the Powaton, March 5. When he is able to leave the hospital, Mr. Sparks expects to be sent to Columbus Barracks, Columbus, O., where he will receive his discharge.

This is the first word Mrs. Sparks has had from her son for more than three months. He writes that he did not receive any mail from home while in France.

# MANY NEW BILLS TO BE CONSIDERED

### By Legislative Committee of the A. of C.

House and senate bills of the Illinois legislature promise plenty of business for the educational and legislative committees of the Association of Commerce when they meet at 4 o'clock, Monday and Tuesday afternoons, respectively.

The educational committee has four bills on a uniform text book and two on free text book, which they will consider. Other bills are on selling school securities, salaries of county and school superintendents and establishing polling places in all school districts. The last named bill was introduced by Senator W. G. McCullough of Decatur.

MANY OTHER BILLS

The legislative committee has quite a number to consider including some on managerial form of government for cities under 500,000, several on the workmen's compensation act, providing an amendment to the drainage act allowing voting on drainage propositions according to acreage owned by those concerned, six bills regulating the public utilities commission, one providing that a coal bill shall be a lien on house and other property, another licensing painters and decorators, etc.

The board of directors of the association will not have its regular meeting Monday owing to so many other conflicting dates that quite a number of the members have.

# ANTI-TIPPING LAW HELD INVALID

Des Moines, Ia., March 17 — The Iowa Supreme Court today held the state anti-tipping law unconstitutional. The court held that the statue was not general in that it applied to employes only and did not prevent an employer from accepting a tip.

A barber shop tip was the basis of the suit.

## MEETINGS.

Ionic lodge 312 A. F. and A. M. A special meeting Monday at 6:30 p. m. in the Eldorado temple.

# SPECIAL PROGRAM FOR EASTER

### Churches Plan for Concerted Program.

Plans for the special Easter program among the churches were discussed by the ministers at the meeting of the Decatur Ministerial association Monday morning. It is the idea to have special services for the two weeks preceding Easter in all the churches. One week is to be devoted to cottage prayer meetings and the other wek to special evangelistic services. It is expected that there will be a large number of cottage prayer meetings.

Rev. C. E. Jenney who just returned to Decatur was present at the meeting and told of some of his experiences in France.

# CITY FAILS TO APPROVE ALLEY

### Corporation Counsel Carey Says It Would Cause Danger.

Corporation Counsel W. J. Carey, at the City Council meeting Monday, reporting on the petition of Dr. W. P. Ryan to open the alley back of his property on West Main street across the Wabash, said that the extension of that alley would be of no benefit to the city and would create a dangerous crossing, and that the city had no right to vacate the other alley referred to. The report was approved and filed on motion of Commissioner Robbins.

# "PRINCESS PATS" BACK IN CANADA

Halifax, N. S., March 17—The famous "Princess Pats," Canada's first troops to fight on French soil, returned home today, arriving here on Steamer Carmania from England. The 49th Battalion and the 40th and 50th Canadian mounted rifles also were aboard.

# OLD COPY OF THE NEW YORK TRIBUNE

### Found in Book Case by E. D. Camp.

E. D. Camp of Casner, R. F. D. No. 1, while rummaging through an old bookcase which formerly belonged to his grandfather, found behind a loosened panel a copy of the New York Tribune of October 11, 1859.

The paper was preserved in excellent condition, somewhat browned in color, but otherwise entirely whole.

Some interesting reading is found in it. The main article on the first page is devoted to an account of the arctic travels of Sir John Franklin, four solid columns being given to this account.

The market columns make interesting reading.

Corn was worth 93 cents to $1 a bushel and the market was firm because of a break in the Erie canal which had tied up deliveries somewhat. Flour was selling at $4.55 to $5 a barrel and buckwheat flour was in strong demand at two and a half to three cents a pound.

Rice was three to four cents a pound, lard 11½ cents, butter 11½ to 18 cents and cheese 3½ to 10 cents a pound.

WHISKEY MARKET.

In whiskey "the market is again firmer; the demand is good; sales 300 barrels at 28¼ to 28½ cents a gallon."

An item in the same paper tells of an attack by Indians on a mail coach in Missouri.

A column and a half of the paper is also given to a prize fight between a certain Mr. Kelly and another would-be champion.

# HE TRIED TO RESIGN; COULDN'T

### John Clugston, Veteran Employe of Linn and Scruggs to Take Rest.

John Clugston, for forty-six years with the Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods company, tried to resign last week. His health has not been good for some time and he wanted to take a rest. The company refused to accept his resignation, but instead gave him a leave of absence and told him to come back and resume his old position whenever he gets ready.

# COURT WILL RULE ON PHONE RATES

Washington, March 17— Authority of Postmaster General Burleson to increase telephone rates throughout the country to be determined by the supreme court which today granted the state of Kansas permission to institute original proceedings against the postmaster general questioning the validity of his order of Dec. 13 last and being new toll rates.

The court ordered that a return be made in the case at the October term.

Under the order attacked, effective since Jan. 21 last, the postmaster general established a new classification and schedule of toll rates under a parcel zone system. The Kansas authorities allege that the postmaster general exceeded his authority in making it and that it is "unlawful, unreasonable, arbitrary, unjust and oppressive."

They ask that the supreme court define the extent of the authority conferred upon the postmaster general under the joint congressional resolution and the presidential proclamation by which the telephone and telegraph systems were taken over by the government.

While these proceedings directly affect only the carrying out of the order in Kansas by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company the question involved touch every state.

The Kansas contention is that the program is without authority to fix interstate rates and that if such authority was conferred by the resolution or proclaimed both are unconstitutional.

## *LATE MARKETS*

New York, March 17.—Mercantile paper 5¼@5½. Sterling 60 day bills $4.73; Mexican dollars 77½c; government bonds steady railroad bonds irregular; time loans steady; 60 days, 90 days, and 6 months 5½%@5¾. Call money steadier; high 4½%; low 4; Closing bid 4 per cent.

New York, March 17.—LIBERTY BOND Closing—Final prices today were: 3½'s 99.42; First 4's 94.34; second 4's 93.70; first 4¼'s 94.46; second 4¼'s 93.70; third 4¼'s 95.58; fourth 4¼'s 93.50.

New York, March 17.—Cotton futures closed steady; May old 24.05; new, $23.50; July old, $23.00; new, $23.20; October, old $21.20; New, $21.00; December old, $22.10; new, 21.47. Spot cotton quiet; middling, $26.70.

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# DEATHS AND FUNERALS

## J. M. DODD DIES AT RICHMOND, IND.

### Former Macon County Clerk Succumbs.

James M. Dodd, who held the office of county clerk of Macon county for twelve years, died suddenly at 2 o'clock Sunday morning at his home in Richmond, Ind. He was sixty-seven years old last September. His death was caused by paralysis. Mr. Dodd suffered a stroke of paralysis three or four years ago, but apparently recovered from that.

J. M. DODD.

J. M. Dodd resided in Decatur for about thirty-four years and during that time he was one of the best known citizens.

Mr. Dodd was born in New Albany, Ind., Sept. 11, 1851. His father was a steam boat man on the Mississippi. He received a public school education in his home town and was later employed as a postal clerk there. Later he apprenticed himself to an undertaker.

Mr. Dodd came to Decatur in 1880 and for awhile was employed as a salesman. Later he was in the grocery business. His health began to fail and he took a rest for two years and then engaged in the real estate business. He became interested in politics and in 1893 he was elected a member of the city council.

GETS BIG MAJORITY.

He was elected county clerk of Macon county in 1894, and held that position until 1906, when he was defeated by Mont Pentwell. When Mr. Dodd was re-elected for his second term, in 1898, he received the biggest majority ever given a Republican candidate in Macon county up to that time.

After retiring from office Mr. Dodd engaged in the undertaking business on North Main street with his son, Earl B. Dodd, who had already graduated as an embalmer. Mr. Dodd continued in the undertaking business until 1914, when he retired, selling his stock to C. E. Dawson. He was called to Colorado by the serious illness of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank S. Dodd, and later he moved to Richmond, Ind., where F. S. Dodd had purchased The Richmond Item. He became circulation manager for the newspaper and held that position until his health failed a few years ago and he retired.

Mr. Dodd was a member of the First Methodist church, and also of Chevalle Bayard lodge No. 189, Knights of Pythias; a charter member of Decatur camp No. 144, Modern Woodmen of America, and was also a member of the Loyal Americans, Modern Americans, Knights of Ladies of Security, the Red Men, and the Decatur club.

Mr. Dodd was twice married. His first wife was Miss Addie Daniels of New Albany, Ind. They were married June 10, 1870. Her death occurred June 29, 1908. His second wife was Mrs. Ida B. Vigus, widow of D. L. Vigus. They were married Dec. 30, 1909. She and two sons by the first marriage, Frank S. Dodd of Richmond, Ind., and Earl B. Dodd, survive him. Frank S. Dodd was for awhile business manager of The Herald.

The funeral will be held in Richmond, Ind. The body wil be brought to Decatur for burial some time Wednesday, but the time of arrival is not definitely known.

## SAMUEL EHRHART DIES AT BEARSDALE

Samuel Ehrhart, an old resident of the county, died at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at his home near Bearsdale. His age was eighty-six years, two months and five days. His death was due to infirmities incident to old age. He had resided in this part of the country for the past fifty years and was well known among the old residents of the county.

Mr. Ehrhart was born in York county, Pa., Dec. 11, 1832. He and Miss Fannie Lourash were married April 6, 1865, and she survives him. She is now seriously ill, both having taken sick on the same day. Mrs. Ehrhart is seventy-three years old.

Beside his wife Mr. Ehrhart is survived by two sons and two daughters, Mrs. J. I. Keller of Harristown; Mrs. Walter Drew of Decatur; Frank Ehrhart of Bearsdale and Charles Ehrhart of Mt. Vernon, Ill. Another son died in infancy. There are eighteen grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held some time Tuesday morning. The interment will be in the Boiling Spring cemetery.

## GRADUATE OF ST. TERESA'S DEAD

### Mrs. Carl Flamme Expires at Pekin.

Mrs. Carl Flamme, sister of James J. Moran of Decatur, died at her home in Pekin at 1 o'clock Monday morning. Death was due to pneumonia from which she had been suffering for the past three weeks.

News of Mrs. Flamme's death came as a shock to her many friends in Decatur, many of whom did not know that she was even sick. Mrs. Flamme was twenty-seven years old. She was formerly Miss Nora Moran of Decatur. She graduated from the St. Teresa's academy in the class of 1909.

HER RELATIVES.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Flamme is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mark Moran, 1346 East Eldorado stree, Decatur. She also leaves the following brothers and sisters: J. J. Moran, Mark Moran, Richard Moran, Tom Moran, Bert Moran, Mrs. Chester Ehles, Mrs. Joseph Longsfeldt, Helen Moran and Pearl Moran, all of Decatur.

The body will be brought to Decatur for burial and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

OTHER DEATHS

WILLIAM T. MATHIS

William Tansil Mathis, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Mathis, 471 Greenwood avenue, died at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the family residence. The child had never been well. The body was removed to the Moran undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

## OAKLE JACKSON DEAD IN FRANCE

### Decatur Boy Expired on March 3.

Oakle Jackson, a Decatur soldier, died in France Monday, March 3, according to a message received from

OAKLE JACKSON

the war department Sunday by his sister, Mrs. Clyde Parrish, 1170 East Olive street. The message gave no particulars. He had not been wounded and his last letters gave no intimation that he was ill.

Oakle Jackson went to Camp Taylor, Ky., in September, 1917, with a draft contingent from Springfield, where he was working at the time. He was sent overseas just a year ago as a member of company I of the Thirty-Fifth Engineers. He saw active duty all the time but was never right at the front. He was married in May, 1917, and his wife is now at her home in Alexander, Mo. Besides the wife he is survived by his father, Adam Jackson of Decatur, and two sisters, Mrs. Clyde Parrish and Mrs. Edgar Bundy, both of Decatur.

## MAXWELL PITTS, AGED 21, DEAD

Maxwell G. Pitts, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Pitts, died at 10:30 o'clock Sunday night at the family residence, 1038 North Church street. He was twenty-one years old March 20. His death was caused by heart trouble, which followed an attack of influenza two months ago.

Maxwell G. Pitts attended the Decatur public schools and had many friends among the young people. He was one of the first Decatur boys to enlist when the United States declared war against Germany. He was sent to Jefferson Barracks, but failed to pass the physical examination and was sent home. He was a member of Grace Methodist church and Decatur camp, 144, M. W. A. Beside his parents he leaves one brother, Leonard B. Pitts, a dentist, who recently moved to McIntosh, S. D. Arrangements for the funeral will not be completed until the brother arrives from South Dakota.

## FUNERALS.

MISS LILLIE M. SMITH.

The funeral of Miss Lillie M. Smith was held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Monson & Wilcox chapel. The services were conducted by Rev. Freeman A. Hevighurst, pastor of the First Methodist church, assisted by Rev. Mr. Blashfield.

The music was furnished by Mrs. Harry Florey and Miss Ruth Zimmerman.

The pallbearers were Luther Martin, Ben Howenstein, C. L. Boyer, Harry Baldridge, Levi Towle and F. C. Knorr. The interment was in the Boiling Springs cemetery.

JOHN N. BEAR.

The funeral of John N. Bear of Bearsdale, was held at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Boiling Springs church. The services were conducted by Rev. P. A. Handley, assisted by Rev. R. E. Henry, of Decatur. There was a large attendance, the church being filled with friends.

The music was furnished by Miss Edna Benton, Miss Grace Butt, Jesse Wellmer and Clifford McKay. Mrs. A. J. Conover was the accompanist.

A large floral blanket covered the casket and there were many other floral tributes. The flowers were in charge of Mrs. Frank Troutman, Mrs. Charles Weaver, Mrs. E. H. Burkam, Mrs. William Baum, Mrs. L. Butt and Mrs. Harry Butt.

The pallbearers were Ralph Bear, Charles Lewis, Jesse Lewis, Garfield Lewis, L. R. Parrish and T. O. Parrish, all nephews of Mr. Bear. The interment was in the Boiling Springs cemetery.

WILLIAM W. WENTWORTH.

The funeral of William W. Wentworth was held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the residence of his grand-father, W. R. Schroeder, in Warrensburg. The services were conducted by Rev. O. L. Clapper.

The music was furnished by Mrs. Otto Lienhart. Mrs. Fay Faith, Charles A. Black and J. E. Underwood. Mrs. Victor Dewein was the accompanist.

The pallbearers were Misses Lucile Bramble, Maude Williams, Helen Lehew and Alta Jenyrin.

The flowers were in charge of Miss Ruby Alban, Miss Lucile Lehew, Miss Edna Holderness, Miss Winifred Pense, Mrs. Dix Neel, Mrs. Eula Botts and Mrs. Jennie Maxiel. The interment was in the Illini cemetery.

MRS. ELIZABETH ANTONI.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Antoni, wife of Fred Antoni, will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at St. Patricks Catholic church. The interment will be in Calvary. Friends are requested not to send flowers.

SAMUEL EHRHART.

The funeral of Samuel Ehrhart will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Boiling Springs church. The services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Handley. The interment will be in the Boiling Springs cemetery.

MRS. JENNIE E. DRAKE.

The funeral of Mrs. Jennie E. Drake was held at 9 o'clock Monday morning at the Monson & Wilcox chapel. The services were conducted by Rev. J. W. McDonald, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church. The music was furnished by Mrs. Corydon C. Nicholson and Mrs. W. Roy Beslick.

The body was taken to Argenta at 9:50 for interment in the Friends Creek cemetery.

## ILLUSTRATED TALK AT WESTMINSTER

An illustrated talk on "The Motive in Giving" was given by Rev. Elisha Safford at the Westminster Presbyterian church Sunday morning. A chorus of young women sang. The Christian Endeavor meeting was led by Miss Grace Bartlett. In the evening church service the pastor spoke on "The Folly of Trying to Outwit God." Clyde Headles gave a tenor solo.

There was a large attendance at the Sunday school, and much interest was shown in all the services.

The Aid society will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of the pastor.

A conference of all the committee members who are to cooperate in the every member canvass will be held Wednesday night at 7:30, taking the place of the prayer meeting. The canvass for the New Era apportionment will be made next Sunday afternoon.

## PREPARING FOR SCHOOL PAGEANT

Miss Nell Fuller, director of physical education in the public schools, is preparing a pageant which will be given some time in May. Only the preliminary work is now being done but from now on the pageant will be rapidly whipped into shape.


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When the Songer Paint Co., of Decatur, decided to quit business, they offered us their entire stock of high grade, standard paints and varnishes at a figure far and away below market value. We bought it, immediately, and thereby made possible one of the greatest, most timely saving opportunities it has ever been our pleasure to present.

It is not the policy of this store to make special purchases of this nature, but the saving possibilities to our patrons were so apparent in this instance that we accepted the Songer offer, without hesitancy.

At 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, in the basement, these paints and varnishes go on sale at LESS THAN COST. The brands are all of known excellence; there's no element of chance in the buying of them.

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Little need be said about the quality of "Chi-Namel" products—everyone who knows paints at all knows that they are the best. Buy them in this sale at these reductions:

¼ pints, 20c size at, a can, 13c
½ pints, 50c size at, a can, 35c
One pint, 85c size, at a can, 60c
One quart, $1.45 size at a can, $1.00
½ gal., $2.50 size at, a can $1.70.
One gal., $5.00 size at, a can $3.40.

### "CHI-NAMEL" *Ground Colors*

Pints, 75c size at, a can, 50c.
Quart, $1.30 size at, a can, 90c.
"Chi-Namel" floor wax, 70c size for 50c.

***"Chi-Namel" Gold or Aluminum Paint***

30c size at 20c
50c size at 30c

***"Chi-Namel" Furniture Polish***

25c size at 20c
50c size at 35c

All other "Chi-Namel" products reduced in the same proportion.

***Moore's Floor Wax***

½ pound, 25c size, for 15c.
One pound, 50c size, for 30c.

### "NOXALL"

***Guaranteed House Paint***

This sale offers an opportunity to buy this well known house paint at exceptional reductions:

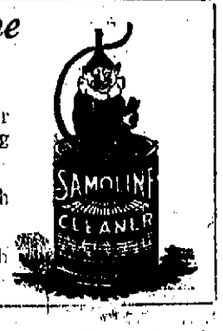
Quarts, worth $1.25, for 70c.
Gallon, worth $4.00, for $2.50.

***Samoline Cleaner***

Nothing better for cleaning wood work.

Pints, worth 25c, at 19c.

Quarts, worth 50c, at 35c.

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One of the best and most satisfactory wall coats on the market:

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Half gallon size, worth $2.00, for $1.30.
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Half gallons, worth $2.05, for $1.40
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The name of the maker guarantees the quality of these varnishes. We bought them from Songer at figures which make possible these sharp reductions:

Quarts, worth $1.40, a can, $1.00.
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Gallon, worth $5.00, a can, $3.75.

***Other High Grade VARNISHES***

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Standard Varnish, in half gallon cans, worth $1.65—sale price, a can, $1.15.

O'Brien's "910" Varnish; very high grade:

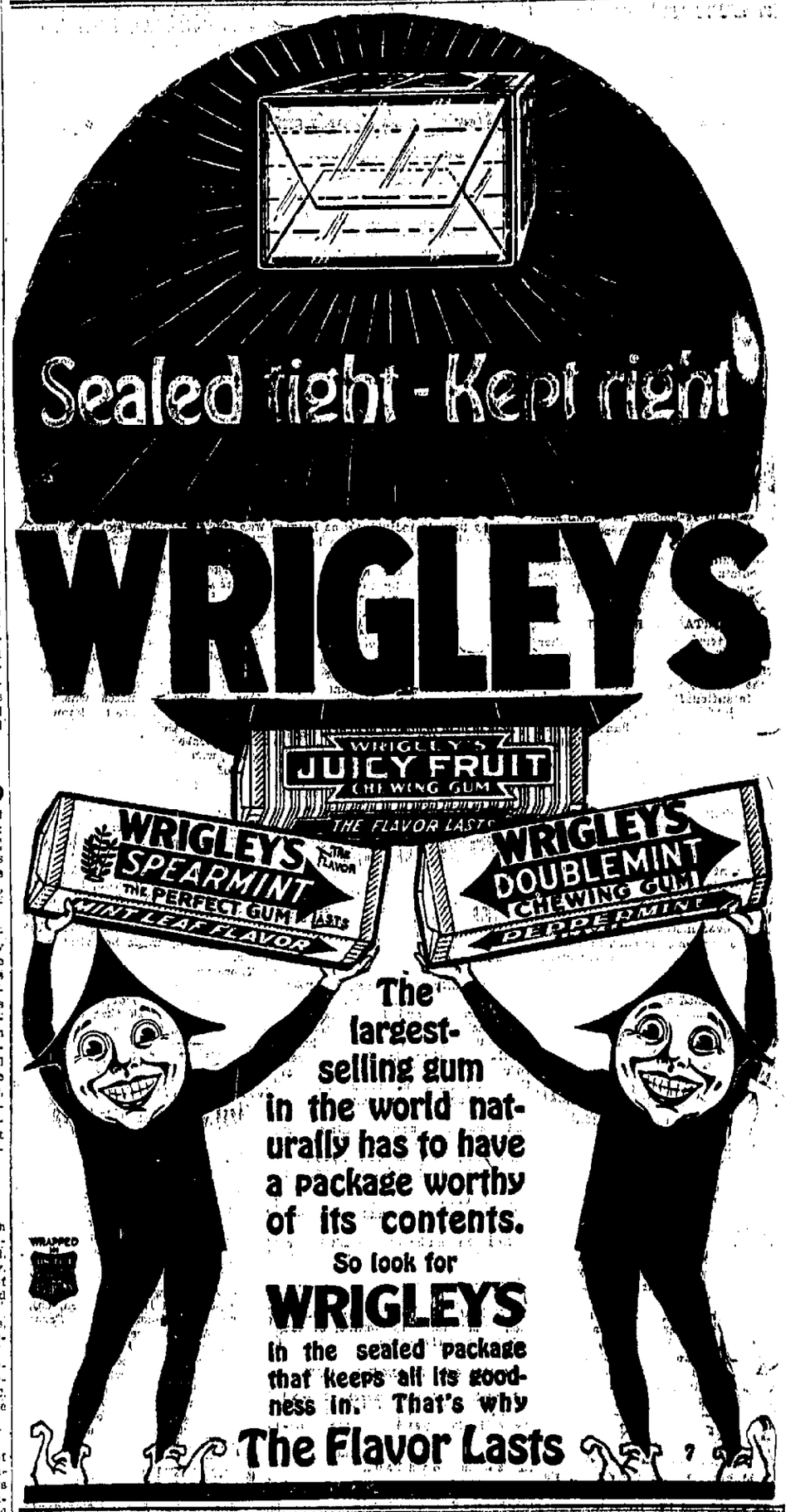
Half gallon size worth $1.45 for $1.00.

One gallon size worth $2.75 for $2.00.

"Enterprise" Floor Paint, in quart cans, worth $1.00, at, each, 65c.

Medium grade house or barn paint, special, a gallon, $1.50.

Black Screen Paint, quart size, worth 80c a can, 55c.



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This school has been conducted for the last three years and has won accredited standing as a result of its high standards. The state board of health has placed it on the accredited list, and graduates may become registered nurses by taking the state examination.

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A fireproof nurses' home costing $130,000 will be completed by fall. There are 60 rooms for nurses in addition to class rooms, demonstration rooms, serving room, library and reading rooms, reception rooms and trunk room. A large recreation room is also a big feature, offering gymnasium, lockers and shower baths.

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